

VERNON'S PROPOSED SCHOOL BONDS SELL FOR \$115,500

JUST HOW PEOPLE ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR LEGISLATURE

Cecil Storey Points Out
Responsibility Resting
with Voters in Choos-
ing Right Men

Representative Cecil Storey is writing for the Record a series of three articles on the Texas Legislature. The first of the series follows:

Much has been said concerning the 38th Texas Legislature by both the informed and uninformed, but what ever conclusions the reader may draw it is sufficient to say that the Legislative branch of the State government is about as important and necessary as the judicial and executive departments. In fact, one cannot exist without the other. As to whether or not that branch of government is properly functioning, is a matter that taxes the patience of the most learned.

The Legislature is a creature of the constitution, and since it is a part of the organic law; and since ours is a representative form of government, republican in kind, the people, who are the State, are responsible for the personnel of the Legislature. It would be ill-becoming on my part to cast any reflection or insinuation on the present Texas Legislature, except, I am pleased to say that it is a body of fine men. The standard of the Legislature has been raised or lowered in the past, just as the people themselves have determined, and until our organic law is materially changed, future legislatures will likewise be determined. If the people see fit to elect demagogues, politicians, agitators, and men who are not a success at home, or abroad to the legislature, they ought to know the inevitable consequences. On the other hand, should the people wake up to the situation, and realize the important and serious responsibility, in selecting men to such places, the results will be just in proportion to standard or calibre, thus selected and the standard they seek to adopt.

When it comes to handling millions of dollars of the people's money, which money is exacted from them by means of taxation, it is high time that the people, especially those who have almost reached a rebellious state concerning paying taxes to take cognizance of the fact and start now to create a sentiment that will crystallize around the importance of the matter to the end that the best men in the community may aspire to such positions. Had the people paid as much attention for the past twenty years as to who they sent to the Texas Legislature, and as they watched the legislature this spring, when it was almost apparent that the taxes would be increased, and made to cover broader fields, conditions would be materially different.

The legislature is composed of men, they are human, they come from every walk of life, some have their hobbies, while others are inclined to be very liberal in their views, others share more fixed and dogmatic opinions. Many of them realize that, unfortunately for this great State, the average Texas Legislature, is not held in the very highest esteem by the people. They further realize that while public sentiment often pre-judges them, yet they are elected to an important office, and notwithstanding an unhappy and unpleasant atmosphere with which they often have to contend, most if not all, strive to do their duty for at least one term. Patriotic men who even serve one term are going to become fever and less interested, unless the people wake up to the importance of inducing, not only patriotic, but qualified men to aspire to such positions. This fact is demonstrated to some extent in this way: the present lower house, so I am informed, had ninety new members, less than thirty old members were defeated, thus you see, one term, and no more. It usually takes a new member at least one term to become familiar with the rules and regulations, and while acquiring such knowledge (which is absolutely necessary), an older and experienced mem-

MAN THOUGHT TO BE DEAD IS
VERY MUCH ALIVE



Warren J. Lincoln, horticulturist, of Aurora, Illinois, whose presumed murderers have been sought all over the United States, following his disappearance and the finding of blood-stained Indian clubs has returned to the little town telling a weird story of being kidnapped in a plot engineered by his kidnapped wife. The sheriff, doubting the story, has dropped the case.

Katherine Wheatley Wins Franklin Car as Newspaper Prize

Miss Katherine Wheatley, daughter of J. W. Wheatley, received word this morning that she had won the third grand prize in the Dallas News circulation contest. The prize in this case is a Franklin automobile. Miss Wheatley also won a \$250 cash prize in the contest.

Up until the last day it appeared as if Miss Wheatley would win the first grand prize, but votes coming in on the last count overcame her lead. She had a total of 9,295,655 votes.

Miss Wheatley was the only person out of Dallas to win a grand prize.

Elliott Club Girls Hold Vegetable and Fruit Canning Meet

A number of club girls gathered on Thursday at the home of Winnie Goss at Elliott and canned fruit and vegetables. They were assisted in the work by Miss Eula Goodfellow, home demonstration agent. Various clubs in the county are now beginning to can their annual supply of fruits and vegetables under Miss Goodfellow's direction.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION BUYS ELECTRA SCHOOL BONDS

Announcement has been made that the \$196,000 worth of bonds voted in Electra to build a high school, have been purchased by the State Department of Education at par and accrued interest. The bonds bears five per cent interest.

A sale of the bonds contracted to a Little Rock, Ark., firm was declared annulled because the bonds were so long in being approved.

Barry's Visit Here

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Barry, of Fort Worth accompanied by Mrs. R. M. Morrow and son, Paul, of Wichita Falls, came in Sunday to visit their father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Barry and left Tuesday stopping at Wichita Falls for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Morrow before returning home. Mr. Barry is manager of a Piggy-Wiggly store in Fort Worth. They have spent two weeks vacation visiting friends at Waxahachie, Houston and Galveston.

LARGE AUDIENCES ATTEND OPENING OF CHAUTAQUA HERE

Entertainers Get Liberal
Applause at both Shows
Thursday When Big
Tent Is Filled

The Redpath-Horner Chautauqua opened here Thursday afternoon with a big tent in the rear of the library filled almost to capacity for the opening performance. At the night performance the tent was filled to capacity. The applause at both shows was liberal, with those on the program holding their audiences at all times.

The sale of Chautauqua tickets is reported to have been satisfactory and the crowds for the opening days were even better than anticipated. For the opening event the Chamber of Commerce, through arrangement with the Chautauqua company, gave tickets to farmers and members of their families. At night, however, no tickets were given away and the crowd was just as large if not larger.

Tonight the feature bill is to be "Potash and Perlmutter" with a cast of well known players. Saturday afternoon there will be a concert by Irene Stofsky and her artists with another in the evening and a lecture by Chester M. Sanford. Sunday there will be a concert by the Marion Male Quartette in the afternoon and a concert by the same quartette in the evening with a lecture on radio by Glenn Morris. Jesse Teagarden is directing the chautauqua here.

Emancipation Day Is Celebrated Here by Negro Population

The negro emancipation celebration went off in big style here Tuesday with several hundred negroes present. Many white people went out to see the baseball game and other events of the day.

There was only one fight at the grounds. Numerous arguments marked the baseball game between Henrietta and Vernon negro teams. Vernon finally won by a score of 9 to 8, according to the Vernon score keeper. However there are said to have been three score keepers and none of them agreed on the total score. It took four outs to end an inning at one stage in the game.

DeWitt Walton was general manager of the celebration.

DeMolay Chapter Has Received Charter to Be Placed in Hall

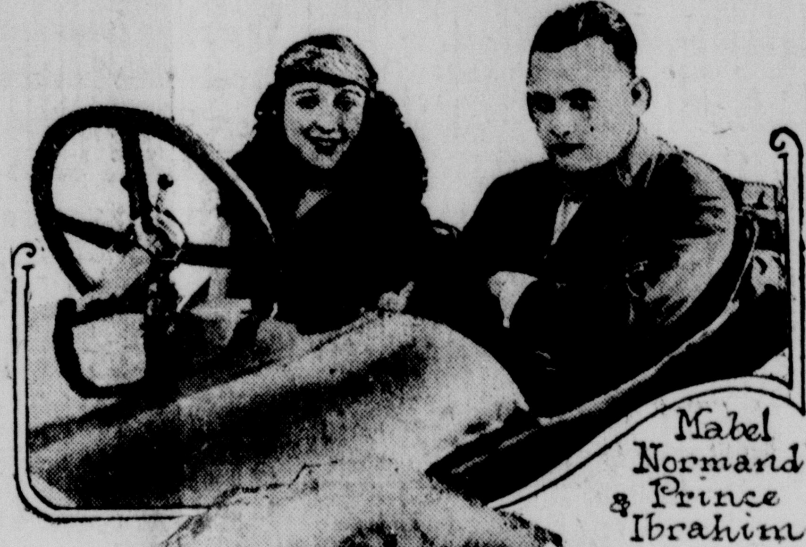
The Vernon Chapter, De Molay, was presented with its charter as Chapter No. 346, Tuesday night, June 19. The charter is a prettily engraved and framed piece of parchment and will hang in the lodge rooms.

On the charter are the names of L. G. Hawkins as chairman, E. M. Haney, advisor and the following members of the advisory council: E. L. Witty, J. N. Fulcher, T. J. Summerour, W. H. Huggins, J. W. Leak, Solon Sewell, J. V. Townsend and L. E. Kester.

HOG CALLING CONTEST TO FEATURE FALL FAIRS

A hog calling contest and a horse shoe pitching contest (barnyard golf) will be features of the Electra, Burk Burnett and Iowa Park community fairs this year. At a recent meeting in Iowa Park representatives from all three of those towns decided on the dates for the fairs this fall which are as follows: Burk Burnett, Sept. 21 and 22; Iowa Park, Sept. 18 and 19; Electra, Sept. 26 and 27. Iowa Park and Electra have option to swap dates. The Electra Band is to play at the three fairs.

"TUT" DYNASTY HEIR TO WED MOVIE GIRL



Pearl Shepard, a New York movie picture actress, in private life Pearl Ginsberg, daughter of a furrier, has sailed for Europe. In Egypt she will become the bride of Prince Mohammed Ali Ibrahim, descendant of the Pharaohs, who declares he will forfeit his rights to the Egyptian throne if necessary. The Prince, who has been in America for several months, was seen often in Hollywood with Mabel Normand, the film actress.

TWO TRUCK LOADS OF SCOUTS TOURING

PASS THROUGH VERNON GOING
TO YELLOWSTONE PARK AND
ARE GIVEN SWIM HERE

When 31 Boy Scouts and their scoutmaster from Oak Grove, La., reached Vernon in two Ford trucks this morning en route to Yellowstone National Park, they were taken to Hillcrest club for a swim. Bruce Gibson, Ep. M. Haney, R. D. L. Killough and Emory Rhoads served as a committee to entertain the boys while they were here.

The party of 32 is traveling in the especially fitted trucks. They are in full scout uniform and have all standard scout equipment. They spent last night at Iowa Park and expect to make Memphis by tonight. They have a regular schedule worked out and so far they are traveling on schedule time and are enjoying every bit of the trip.

Open House At Robinsons
J. D. Robinson and Company held open house to the people of Vernon and Wilbarger county, Thursday afternoon announcing the opening of the new grocery department on West Texas street in the Crow Sisters building. Sandwiches and fruit punch were served to the guests.

Dr. J. E. Dodson Sr. Is Very Low at Home of Daughter in Dallas

In a telephone message to members of his family just before 11 o'clock today, Dr. J. E. Dodson, Jr., who is at the bedside of his father, Dr. J. E. Dodson, Sr., in Dallas, said the aged physician was sinking rapidly and very little hope was maintained for his recovery.

The Senior Dr. Dodson left Vernon more than a week ago to visit his daughter, Mrs. Squires in Dallas. He has been in ill health for many months.

Wednesday night Dr. J. E. Dodson, Jr., was hurriedly summoned to his father's bedside as physicians in Dallas reported him to be very low.

LEGION MEMBERS TRIM PARK TREES

WILL WHITEWASH TREES IF
SOMEBODY FURNISHES MA-
TERIAL AS LEGION IS BROKE

Members of the local post American Legion under the leadership of Post Commander Ep. M. Haney, completed the work at the tourist park yesterday trimming trees. There were more trees that needed trimming than anticipated and it took two days to do the work. The branches were cut off and piled.

Those who were present helping with the work announced they will whitewash the trees if the people of Vernon will furnish the whitewash. The Legion has no funds with which to buy the whitewash. Commander Haney said anyone who is willing to furnish whitewash can communicate with him.

The Legion members who took part in the work at the park were: Ep. M. Haney, Marvin C. Culbertson, T. J. Bridges, Harry Robinson, Arthur Hingst, Tom Loran, Crutcher Cole, Jim Jordan, Roy Abbott and Earle Norwood.

Vernon Odd Fellows Assist in Conferring Degree Work Monday

Six Vernon Odd Fellows went to Rayland Monday night to assist in giving the first degree in the I. O. O. F. lodge there. In addition to the degree work, there was a social program and a good fried chicken dinner was served.

Those who went from Vernon to assist in the work at Rayland were: Earl Coleman, L. P. Kramer, J. A. Baird, Arthur Carney, A. F. Ivy and Gary Evans.

Return From Kentucky

Mrs. Lou Winn, Miss Rebecca Crow and T. B. Crow returned last week from a six week's visit with relatives in Franklin and Scottsville, Ky.

REPRESENTATIVES OF BIG BOND HOUSES ENGAGE IN BIDDING FOR ISSUE IN CASE IT IS VOTED HERE

Council Chamber Resembles Chicago Wheat
Pit With Buyers Running Up Bids Until
One by One They Drop Out Leaving
Top Man Offering \$4500 Premium

Vernon's proposed school bond issue of \$110,000 to build a new High school building has been sold for a total of \$115,500 conditional on the voting of bonds. Bond buyers representing bond houses all over the nation were present at the City Commission meeting yesterday afternoon in the City Hall and for more than two hours the city council chamber resembled, to some extent, the famous wheat pit of Chicago.

Bidding was brisk and the score or more of buyers were anxious to get the Vernon bonds. T. H. Bowman, representing Stern Brothers Company of Kansas City gave a premium of \$4,500 on the total issue in addition to par and accrued interest, bringing the value of the issue up to \$115,500 and making the individual bonds worth \$104.09. He put up a \$5,000 cash for-

feit to take the bonds at that price when they are voted.

Following the bidding, the city commission members, headed by Mayor Harry Mason, consulted with the school board and on advice of that body accepted the bid.

The bonds are to be voted on at an election called for July 17. The issue is to build a new high school building here, the present building being so inadequate as to have attracted the attention of the State Department of Education which has asked that Vernon erect a new building. The price paid for the bonds is among the best sales that has been made by any city in the state, bond buyers asserted yesterday.

Several architects are in the city conferring with the school board relative to drawing plans for the new school building.

AMARILLO TRIPPERS DUE HERE TUESDAY

SPECIAL TRAIN WILL BRING
BOOSTERS WITH SHRINE BAND
AND I. O. O. F. DRUM CORPS

The special train of Amarillo boosters is due to arrive in Vernon at 12:45 o'clock Tuesday afternoon of next week and will leave at 3 o'clock the same afternoon for the west. The boosters are coming here on their three day trade trip which will include all the main towns in this immediate vicinity of the state.

The Khiva Temple Shrine Band and the I. O. O. F. Drum Corps from the same place will accompany the boosters. They will travel on a special all steel train and on reaching here they will parade through the principal streets.

The local Chamber of Commerce will officially welcome the visitors and they will be given a chance to see Vernon.

Longest Day Is Also Hottest Day Local Weather Sages Say

The summer solstice began yesterday, June 21, and, according to all weather forecasters, the cool spring weather which has prevailed for many weeks was officially ended at that time. This fact was evident as yesterday was considered by many persons to have been the hottest day of the year.

Thursday was also the longest day of the year. From sunrise to sunset was 14 hours and 19 minutes. Sunday the days will begin to get shorter again and within a few weeks considerably more sleeping time will be available.

John Self Breaks Arm

John Self, living on the Watts farm near Doans, is nursing a fractured arm this week caused from trying to crank an automobile. The accident occurred last Wednesday morning in front of Parker-Douglas Grocery store as Mr. Self was ready to go home.

Both bones of the right fore arm were broken. Mr. Self is getting along nicely, but it will be some time before he can work.

No Concert Tonight

Robert Reed, leader of the Vernon Concert Band, announced today there will be no concert on the Court House square. It was decided not to have a band concert during the chautauqua.

GOOD ROAD CARAVAN COMES HERE MONDAY

DICK COFFEE WILL SPEAK AT
CONVENTION IN ALVARADO
JUNE 27 AND 28

When the caravan of automobiles from Denver, Colo., and intermediate points reach Vernon Monday night to stop over en route to the Colorado Gulf Highway convention at Alvarado, they will be joined here by Judge E. L. McHugh and Dick Coffee, who will make the trip with the caravan. Mr. Coffee goes to take the place of R. H. Nichols on the program. He will speak on the subject "Is the free camp ground a success?"

Fully 10 automobile loads of road boosters are due to go to the convention from Colorado points and many more will join between Amarillo and Vernon. At the same time another caravan will come from the direction of Waco and many people will go by train. The convention is to be June 27 and 28.

White City Has Two Baseball Pitchers Making Good Records

White City community boasts of two baseball pitchers of unusual merit, Seymour Dunson and Jim Johnson. Dunson who has been captain and pitcher of his home team for several seasons and who made an extra good record last year, took typhoid fever before the season was over. But this year he is back in the game in better form than ever. Johnson was captain and forward in White City's basket ball team this year. He is pitching some mighty good games. Outside teams are now using these pitchers. Last Saturday Johnson pitched the game for Odell against Elmer, Oklahoma, at Odell. The score was 1 to 9 in favor of Odell. Johnson struck out 13 men. On Wednesday Dunson pitched for Odell at Elmer, resulting in 2 to 3 in favor of Odell. Dunson struck out 13 men. Odell is using these pitchers in winning all their games and they have won the last four played. With a chance these boys will make a record in baseball.

Buyers In Business

August D. Tennyson has purchased an interest in the Somers Auto Spring Company in Wichita Falls. Mr. Tennyson is associated with C. L. Naylor in the spring business here.

City Briefs

Emory Rhoads went to Wichita Falls on business Thursday.

Cotton Chopping hoes at right prices. North Texas Hardware Company. 11c

J. D. Darnell, of Wichita Falls is in the city on business.

Fresh supply of carbon at Ferguson Drug Company. 48 1/2c

Miss Cecelia Johnson will spend the week end with friends in Hild, Okla.

Frank Minarik leaves this week for Colorado to spend his vacation.

W. M. Robinson of Fort Worth, was here Wednesday on business.

Mrs. C. T. Smith is ill with an attack of lumbago.

Miss Essie McLarty is quite ill this week.

F. W. Kennedy, of Quanah, was in Vernon on business this week.

Sam Napier was in Wichita Falls Wednesday.

Roy Russell went to Wichita Falls Wednesday on business.

L. C. Hooper is reported to be recovering rapidly from an operation performed early this week.

Cotton chopping hoes at right prices. Wilbarger Hardware Company. 48 1/2c

E. C. Christian and family have returned from a stay of several weeks at Mineral Wells.

P. E. Todd and brother, of Crowell, were in Vernon this week and shipped a car load of hogs from here.

Ladies. We have aprons, skirts, bonnets and all handwork at Presby. terrain Guild Bazaar. 48 1/2c

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stroud of Haultail, Ill., were here on business Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thornton Lomax of Wichita Falls visited relatives here this week.

J. M. Wells of Bonham, is here this week looking after his farming interests in this county.

Mrs. Daniel Bond and son, Billie, have returned from a trip to Mineral Wells.

Mrs. Frank H. Wright, of Amarillo, is visiting relatives in Vernon this week.

Miss Maurine Cole has returned to her home in Frederick after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Lentwiler and son, E. M. Jr., are visiting in Waco and other Central Texas points.

Nathan Lowenthal, of Houston, a former resident of Vernon was here Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. A. M. Holder, of Elberta is a guest this week of her son, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Samuel.

Misses Adelle Brinck and Annita Baileh of Elberta were guests of Mrs. Merle Ladd this week.

Mrs. Quincy Wilson of Chillicothe, and children left Wednesday after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Williams.

You will find a large stock of hoes at North Texas Hardware Company. 48 1/2c

City Engineer, A. J. Robinson has returned from the Water engineers convention at Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bryant returned Sunday from Fort Worth, where Mr. Bryant went for medical examination.

Attend Presbyterian Guild Bazaar at Hahn building Saturday, June 23, lunch from 11:30 until 2. 48 1/2c

One, Lindsay of Kingola, has returned home after having recovered from an operation performed in a hospital here.

Jesse Teagarden, manager of the Redpath-Horner Chautauquas, is in the city in connection with chautauqua week.

Tom Nally, who had one limb taken off in a hospital here last week, is recovering rapidly and physicians say he will soon be out of the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Hamilton and son, Leslie, of Sherwood, came to attend the Chautauqua Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Gladys Massie Eaton has returned to her home in Altus, Okla., after spending some time here at the home of her brother, F. L. Massie.

Mrs. Arthur Ward is confined to her home with a painful sprained foot. Physicians say it will be about 10 days before she will be able to walk.

Mr. Osborne W. Young, Mrs. Otto Dittrich, and Mr. Hibi, all of Elberta visited Mr. and Mrs. Van W. Hall on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCrary and son, Tommy, left recently for Colorado Springs where they will be gone until Fall. The trip is made for the benefit of Mr. McCrary's health.

Mrs. Gladys Eaton, of Altus, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Massie having come here to be with Frank Massie Jr. during his operation.

Mrs. Clarke McKinney of San Antonio, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. T. P. Lisman. The family moved from here many years ago and since that time have been living in South Texas.

Guy A. Garlander, Amarillo architect, was here yesterday conferring with members of the school board with reference to the proposed new high school building.

Mr. W. W. Johnson and little grand son, L. M. Watson, of Trent, Texas, are visiting in Vernon at the home of his friends, Rev. and Mrs. F. T. Johnson and family.

J. S. Wyatt of Dallas, is in the city on business this week.

Fresh supply of carbon at Ferguson Drug Company. 48 1/2c

Mrs. H. C. Gooden of Farmers Valley, has returned home from a hospital in this city.

You will find a large stock of hoes at Wilbarger Hardware Company. 11c

Mrs. A. Jarrell, who resides on the Byars farm, is in a local hospital to undergo an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Huie, of Hobart, Okla., arrived Wednesday for a visit with friends here. Mr. Huie was once a member of the firm of Payne-Huie and Hazelwood of Vernon's early days.

Mrs. W. D. Stephens, who resides seven miles Southwest of Vernon, has returned to her home after undergoing a successful operation in a local hospital.

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Why Should Vernon Water Rates Be Higher Than the Average for Texas Cities

We have heard much about the efficiency of the Vernon water system, but these opinions must have been arrived at by comparisons with itself rather than by comparisons with other towns and cities. Vernon's water supply is obtained from shallow wells. It is of fine quality. Nature has been kind to us in providing an abundant supply of good water at only a few feet below the surface.

Let Us Compare Vernon Water Rates With Other Towns and Cities of Texas and See if We Are Getting Efficiency and Economy in Our Water System

Here are some examples, selected at random from over Texas, including a few privately owned plants. Most of these cities, however, like Vernon, own and operate their water systems.

Snyder, 3,500 population, flat rate \$1.00 per month domestic. Flat rate \$1.75 per month business.
Sulphur Springs, 5,558 population, 30c per thousand gallons, 90c net minimum per month, with sliding scale of rate down to 15c.
Orange, 9,212 population, maximum 30c per 1,000 gallons.
Taylor, 12,000 population, maximum rate 33 1-3 cents to individuals; \$1.00 minimum.
Tyler, 13,000 population, maximum 25c per thousand gallons, graduated down to 9c; minimum 50c to 90c per month.
Seguin, 5,000 population, first 4,500 gallons 75c, minimum; 6,500 gallons \$1.00; all over 10c per thousand gallons.
Mount Pleasant, 4,000 population, maximum 30c per thousand gallons down to 10c, 75c per month minimum.
Victoria, 8,000 population, 22 1-2c per thousand maximum rate, \$1.50 minimum.
Huntsville, 3,000 population, first 4,000 gallons at 25c, \$1.00 minimum. Flat rates from \$1.00 upwards for families.
New Braunfels, 4,000 population, first 2,500 gallons 30c, ranging down to 5c per thousand; minimum 75c.

Cisco, 7,422 population, 30c per 1,000 gallons. Flat rate for domestic use \$1.00.
Brownwood, metered 11,250 gallon (min) per quarter. All over 11,250 gallon per quarter, 20c per 1,000. Flat rate, \$2.25 per quarter.
Arlene, 10,274 population, 25c per 1,000 gallons, minimum \$11.00 per year, 91c per month.
Gonzales, 5,000 population, flat rate for residences, \$1.00 to \$2.00 per month.
Gainesville, 7,700 population, 25c per thousand gallons, 50c minimum.
Ballinger, 2,767 population, first 5,000 gallons 20c, manufacturing rate 12 1-2c, minimum charge \$1.00.
Brenham, 5,066 population, first 6,000 gallons 25c, minimum \$1.00, ranging down to 15c per thousand gallons.
Cisco, 7,422 population, 30c per thousand gallons, flat rate for domestic use \$1.00.
Huntsville, 3,000 population, first 4,000 gallons at 25c per 1,000.
Gonzales, 5,000 population, flat rate for residence \$1.00 to \$2.00.
Greenville, 30c down to 15c per thousand gallons, 75c minimum.
Lampasas, 3,000 population, first 8,000 gallons \$1.25. All over at 12 1-2c per thousand gallons. Flat rate \$1.00 per month for domestic purposes only.

If the Vernon Water Plant Is Efficiently and Economically Managed Why Should Rates Be So Much Higher Than Other Texas Towns of Our Class?

Remember that few towns in Texas can get water ready for pumping and distribution as cheaply as Vernon. We have shallow wells. Many other towns have to dig deep wells to get water. Others have to build expensive reservoirs and pipe it long distances. The main cost of water in Vernon is for pumping, distribution and overhead. Why should these charges be so high in Vernon? Bear in mind also that the City has invested about \$100,000 additional in the water plant in the past year. Add your tax on this investment to present high water rates and see what you will pay. ELECTRIC RATES ARE LOWER THAN WATER RATES IN VERNON WHEN COMPARED WITH CHARGES FOR THE SAME SERVICE IN OTHER TOWNS AND CITIES OF TEXAS.

Let's Have the Facts About Our Water System

This Company has offered to furnish the power for pumping water in Vernon at saving of 50 per cent over what it is costing the City to pump water with its own power.

Vernon ought to have the greatest and cheapest supply of water of any city of its size in Texas. Water should be so cheap in Vernon that we could make our city a veritable paradise of beautiful trees, flowers and gardens. This could be done if our water system were managed as efficiently and economically in proportion as similar plants in other Texas cities.

Let's Have Some Light On the Water Question in Vernon

Water Can Be Pumped in Vernon For 4 Cents Per Thousand Gallons

You know what water is costing per 1,000 gallons now. If the proposals which have been made by this Company to furnish power for pumping water had been investigated it would have been found that current could be purchased for pumping at about 4c per thousand gallons. All other expense to City connected with pumping water on this plan would be two men to look after operation of pumps and other small duties connected with the distribution of water after it has been pumped into the reservoir.

Figure the Difference Yourself

If Vernon can pump her water at a cost of 4c per thousand gallons by purchasing electricity and will keep other overhead expense on an efficient and economical basis, the City could have water at very much lower prices than other cities and COULD ELIMINATE AN INVESTMENT OF \$40,000 OR MORE IN POWER EQUIPMENT. FIGURE FOR YOURSELF THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN 4c FOR PUMPING WATER AND THE PRICES YOU ARE NOW PAYING. Why shouldn't Vernon have the lowest water rate of almost any city in Texas? The only thing that keeps water rates high in Vernon is inefficient and wasteful management of the water system.

VERNON ELECTRIC & ICE COMPANY
JAMES GARDNER ROSSMAN, Manager

GOODYEAR
LADD'S PLACE
GOOD YEAR

IN SOCIETY

The night dinner club met last night with Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Moore. Those present other than the regular members were: Mr. and Mrs. Chandler Caraway, Miss Johnnie Mallow, Dr. and Mrs. M. J. Moore.

Two courses were served, carnations were used for decorations and in evening of general after dinner merriment was indulged.

1921 Club Entertained

Mrs. H. B. Farrell, of South Main street, was hostess Tuesday afternoon to the 1921 bridge club. Four tables of club members played. Mrs. Joe Napier won high score.

A salad course was served to the guest at the close of the afternoon.

Miss Rhoads Entertains with 42

Miss Erma Rhoads was hostess yesterday afternoon to the Thursday Forty-two club and extra guests at her home on South Main street.

Four tables were played and angel food cake and ice cream were served to the following: Mesdames Emory Rhoads, Hub Colley, R. H. Nichols, W. W. Bennett, E. L. Pendleton, Walter McCaleb, Sumrow Greene, of Fort Worth, S. S. Manger, Tom Summerow, Rupert Sewell, Hugh Conner, W. J. Stuckler, E. M. Haney and Misses Regina Green, Louise Smith, Ethel Haney, Nita Denny, Harriett, Thomas.

Mrs. Reger Hostess

Mrs. Howard Reger was hostess on Wednesday afternoon to the members of the Wednesday Forty-two club and other invited guests at her home on West Wilbarger street. Miss Harriet Thomas and Miss Oleeta Youngblood presided over the punch bowl.

Guests present other than club members were: Mesdames C. D. Ashenbush, J. H. E. Young, O. A. Swinburn, J. N. Johnson, W. D. Berry, Geo. W. Backus, A. B. Garland, A. H. Murchison, Clarke McKinney, of San Antonio, J. R. Meredith, of Denver, S. T. Cawood of Memphis, Tenn., J. B. Ross, J. H. Pettit and B. D. Flaniken. A salad course and peach sponge were served at the close of the games.

Tuesday Bridge Party.

Mrs. R. L. Castlebury and daughter, Miss Lillie Castlebury entertained with bridge and forty-two Tuesday at their home on West Wilbarger Street. The morning hours were devoted to bridge playing with Miss Castlebury hostess to the Avalon bridge club members and other invited guests. In the afternoon Mrs. Castlebury's guests played forty-two.

Guests other than club members for the bridge party were: Mesdames M. G. Neathery, J. A. Robinson, Robert Wilson of Chardon and J. Allen, of Paris, house guest of Mrs. J. A. Robinson.

Guests for the four tables of forty-two were: Mesdames E. M. Rogers, Geo. Robinson, S. R. Crim, S. E. Johnson, J. H. E. Young, O. E. Williams.

M. G. Neathery, L. G. Hawkins, O. A. McCaleb, B. A. Williams, Quincy Williams, of Chillicothe, house guest of Mr. Williams, B. J. Parker and G. E. Blackman.

No prizes were given at either party. A cooling salad and ice course was served each at the close of the games.

SENATOR JOE BURKETT IS OUT FOR GOVERNOR



State Senator Joe Burkett, of Eastland has made the following announcement:

"This is to announce that I shall be a candidate for Governor, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in 1924. I had not intended to make known my candidacy before the first of next year, but because of conditions that have arisen in a political way in the past two or three weeks, I deem it advisable to let my intentions be known at this time. At the proper time I shall begin an active campaign and advocate, among other issues, the following:

1. A State reserve banking system with a central state bank for the promotion, primarily, of the farming and livestock interests of our state.

2. A state controlled system of fire-proof terminal warehouses at our large railroad centers and seaports, to the end that our staple products may be successfully marketed.

3. A constitutional amendment providing for a reasonable bonus for ex-service men, if the federal government fails to provide such bonus.

4. A constitutional amendment abolishing useless offices and placing their work with other offices.

5. The abolition of ad valorem taxes for state purposes, leaving the ad valorem taxes for counties and cities, and letting the state government be maintained by franchise, corporation, income, poll, gross production, severance and other taxes, thus eliminating all contention with reference to unequal and inadequate tax renditions.

6. Water conservation and flood control.

7. Retention by the state of all water power sites.

8. A consistently liberal policy towards industrial enterprises, to the end that Texas may become a manufacturing state as well as a producer of raw material.

9. A connected system of state highways to be maintained by the state.

10. A more liberal policy toward our public schools, to the end that every child may receive at least a high school education.

11. A closer co-ordination of our institutions of higher learning with each other and with the public school system. Give our grown young men and women ample opportunity to carry their education to the highest pinnacle, but not at the expense of the children who cannot care for themselves.

12. A repeal of the free text book law, with provisions for supplying books to those who are not able to purchase.

13. An adequate and humane solution of the penitentiary problem.

14. Strict economy in all departments of the state government, consolidating bureaus and commissions wherever necessary, to the end that all may work together and not contrary.

15. A constitutional amendment exempting a reasonable value of the improvements on a homestead from taxation to the end that home ownership may be encouraged.

16. Liberal laws toward our basic industries—farming and stock raising.

17. Institution of civil service examination for all state employees, giving preference to ex-service men wherever possible.

18. A constitutional amendment fixing the legal interest rate at not exceeding 10 per cent instead of 19 per cent as at present.

19. An adequate revision of our judiciary system in order that cases may be tried speedily and litigants be not compelled to wait an indefinite length of time for an adjudication of their rights.

20. A revision of our primary and election laws to make them more work-

able. We must cut our government expenses and thereby reduce our taxes, or else submit to the Socialistic doctrine that the State should own all property and administer the government from the use of same. I had rather have less government and more individual freedom than to submit to Socialism.

21. The faithful and efficient enforcement of all laws, especially those against mobs. Such violence will not be tolerated. Every person shall be secure in his person, papers and effects from all searches except by due process of law. I do not believe in invisible government. There is room for but one government and that one open and free, participated in by all the people.

HOW PEOPLE ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR LEGISLATURE

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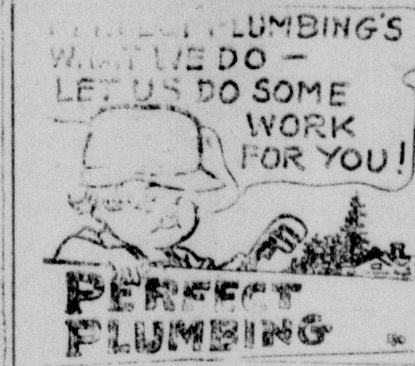
ber, well versed in parliamentary law, has considerable advantage. Now if a member, under present conditions only aspires to one term and has qualified himself for service during that one term under the law of averages, we don't get very far.

In this article, I have only attempted to point out in a general way the importance of selecting qualified men to the legislature. I think the recent prolonged regular and special sessions will, in the end, have an effect for the good upon the people, for they are beginning to get their eyes open. The people should be brought to realize the all important fact that no business or enterprise can be successfully maintained unless capable men are placed at the head of it. This argument applies to political matters as well as private matter. I will follow up this article with two other, one dealing in detail with important matters with

which the legislature has to deal, and the other showing the unfairness and nonuniformity of our system of taxation.

Child Dies Wednesday

Howard Eugene Huggins, the two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Huggins, died Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock after a few days illness. The funeral was held from the residence at 11 o'clock yesterday morning. Rev. Lewis P. Kopp officiated and interment was made in East View.



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THE END OF AN EXPERIMENT IN COMMUNISM.

The recent decision of the United States Supreme Court holding that the power vested in the Kansas Industrial Court unconstitutional should not have been surprising to any thoughtful person who brushed aside the undergrowth of prejudice and fine phrasings of a Socialistic type as to the supremacy of the public interest over private interest.

The Kansas Industrial Court act was hailed as the Ark of the Covenant which was to lead the people of the United States into a Canaan of industrial peace unharmed and untouched by the predatory interests on the one hand and the unscrupulous labor agitator on the other.

The first expressions of delight came from opponents of organized labor when they saw that the act prohibited strikes, and labor leaders who derided the law were ridiculed as enemies of industrial peace. Things moved along on this basis for a time until the Court decided that a bill did not have the right to reduce the wages of its employees, cut down the number of employees, or shut down its plant, and the applause shifted to the labor side.

Now when the law questions involved came under the jurisdiction of the United States Supreme Court, it has very properly held, The Record believes, that no such authority as that sought to be exercised by the Kansas court can be granted without violating other and more sacred rights. But the Supreme Court decision merely finished a task that had already been fairly well accomplished. The Industrial Court law had been largely discredited long before the decision was handed down.

It was first found that the law would not prevent strikes. Later it was discovered that it could not compel employers to keep their plants in operation or to continue the employment of a certain number of men, because such matters are governed by economic conditions which have a way moving along without much regard to what the statute books say. Then it was found in the case of William Allen White of Emporia that the law could not keep people from expressing their opinions about industrial disputes. Finally the people of Kansas elected a Governor pledge to repeal the law.

Thus the action of the Supreme Court was merely to put a bit of Socialistic legislation

out of its misery. Labor disputes are expensive and oftentimes unnecessary, but when we undertake to regulate by law the questions of wages, hours and conditions of employment down to their finest detail we embark upon a trail that has no stopping place this side of communism. If we deprive the worker of his right to quit his job we must deprive the employer of his right to determine how much he will pay, how many men he will employ or to close down his business when conditions make it unprofitable. When we do these things we must step in and guarantee the employer against financial loss. What this lacks of communism isn't worth arguing over.

OUR LEGISLATIVE RECESS.

The Legislature has adjourned and Texas ought to feel better. The present Legislature has been on the job for nearly six months, but there has been little constructive progress made for the benefit of the State as a whole. It should also be said in fairness to our lawmakers that they refrained from some threatened blunders and Governor Neff kept them from a few through the use of his veto

power. Fortunately some foolish and pernicious bills were defeated. A mad rush was made as soon as the session began to introduce legislation to throttle business and industry in Texas. Most of this class of legislation was killed and we ought to be devoutly thankful that this is true.

But even if the sessions just closed were barren of any outstanding constructive legislation they were at least marked by a sober-mindedness in matters of levying new taxes beyond some of the previous Legislatures. After all is said, the Texas Legislature isn't so bad. We get better service than we have a right to expect, considering the wages we pay.

THE ROAD AMENDMENT.

The friends of good roads throughout Texas should rally to the support of the proposed constitutional amendment to be voted on in July which will transfer the control of State highways from the Commissioners Court to the State Highway Commission. It will be the greatest single step forward in the road movement that we have yet taken. It will mean that we will continue to share in the distribution of Federal road money.

It will mean that a great highway, like the Colorado-Gulf, can't be ruined by one or two counties which refuse to improve their roads.

The amendment will mark the beginning of a long stage of progress in highway building in Texas. Every progressive citizen ought to vote for it next month.

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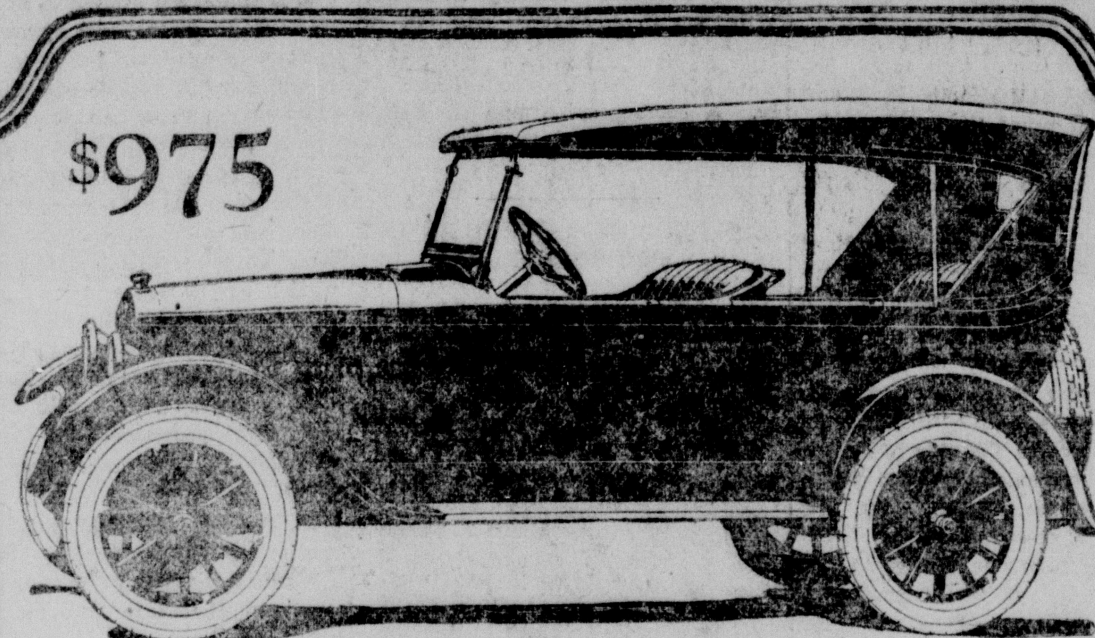
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Ford "sold" his car to the public at the very start by practically demonstrating for he piloted the first Ford racer himself and won race after race in all parts of the country. Driving old "999" on an ice track at Baltimore Bay, Mich., he was the first to break the mile-a-minute record.

In 1907 Mr. Ford acquired additional stock sufficient to bring his holdings in the company up to 58.32 per cent.

Development of the company since 1908 when the Model "T" Ford Car was first placed on the market has been marked by unusual success until now it occupies the foremost position in the industry.

In 1913, Mr. Ford set a new standard for the industrial world when he announced his now famous \$5 a day minimum wage and the \$10,000,000 profit-sharing plan, a move that gained him international fame.

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Card of Thanks

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Central Christian Church Ready for Revival on July 8

The Central Christian Church has set July 8 for the beginning of the mid-summer revival that will be conducted on the spacious lawn between the parsonage and the church building. A large air-dome will be prepared for the services. The church committee met part of the expense for material and labor in making the seat ends for the chautauqua with the agreement that the church is to have the use of these for the revival.

Singing evangelist Harrel C. Biard is to return with his wife, who is a personal worker, as assistant in this meeting. Services will likely continue for three weeks or more every day and night.

Zion's Lutheran Church

There will be English services at Zion's Lutheran church, beginning at 8 p. m. next Sunday, June 24.

Text, 2 Pet. 1, 16-21.
Topic, The Holy Scriptures as Divine Revelation. First, their historical origin, second, their divine authority.

L. HEINEMEIER, Pastor.

Evangelical Lutheran Church

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.
Confessional address based on Matt. 3:2. Theme "Repentance." 10 a. m.
Sermon based on 1 Cor. 11, 22, subject, "The Church." 10:30 a. m.
Bible Class 8:00 p. m.

You are cordially invited to worship with us.

J. A. BIRNBAUM, Pastor.

First Methodist Church

Robert E. Dickenson, D. D., Pastor.
Sunday schedule.
9:30 a. m. Sunday school, Roy D. L. Killough, Superintendent.

11 a. m. morning worship.

Baritone Solo—Mr. Carlos Smith.

"O Lord and Master," Goddard.

Offertory, Violin Solo, Mrs. Roy McConihe, accompanied by Miss Ruth Carney.

Sermon by Dr. Dickenson, Subject, "Gripped for Service."

Intermediate League 7 p. m.

Senior League 7 p. m.

No other evening service.

Notes. Reports of the Abilene conferences will be given at the League services next Sunday night at seven o'clock. The following persons will speak. Roy McKorey, Allen Carney.

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The Women's Missionary society will meet next Monday at 5 p. m. It will be the Bible Study hour and service will be led by the pastor.

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W. B. Covert, of White City was here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Culbertson have returned from a visit to Hamlin.

L. E. Key, of Wichita Falls, was here on business Wednesday.

J. T. Cabe, of Electra, was here on business Wednesday.

Frank Massie Jr. is recovering rapidly from an appendicitis operation.

Fresh supply of carbon at Fergessen Drug Company. 48 1/2

B. L. Knowles of Wichita Falls, was in the city yesterday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Kelley, of Cleburne, arrived in Vernon today to visit relatives.

Mrs. Sumrow Greene, of Fort Worth has arrived for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Greene and other relatives.

Mrs. W. T. Rouse and children have arrived for a visit with her son, T. L. Rouse.

Mrs. S. E. Major, of Memphis, is here for a visit with Mrs. Chas. W. Andres.

Milford Rouse has assumed his duties as reporter on the Vernon Times.

Miss Pearl Eakle left today for Dallas where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Gaines B. Tanner.

Dr. H. H. Rhoads, Miss Erma Rhoads and David Nowlin went to Chillicothe on business today.

A. C. Smithson and family, of Red Oak, are visiting in the homes of Chas. Withers and Tom Conger.

S. H. Hall, city secretary, has returned from Dallas, where he spent several days on vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Dooley, of Odell visited their daughter, Mrs. W. T. Vaughn, Wednesday.

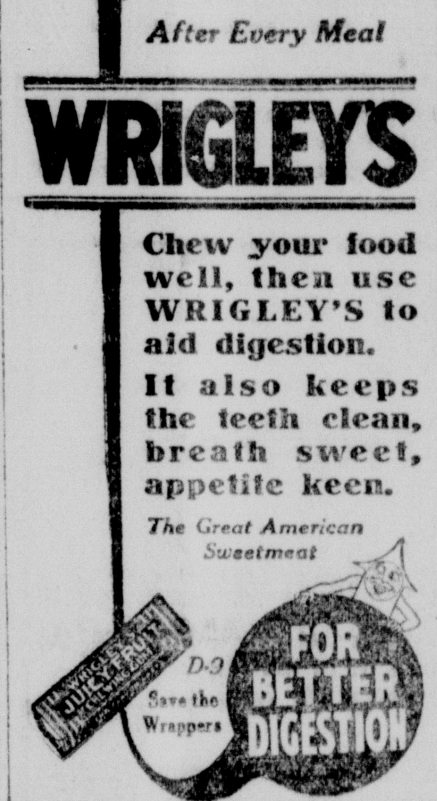
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Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Meredith, of Denver, have arrived for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Murchison. Mrs. Murchison is a sister of Mr. Meredith. They will spend the summer here.

T. J. Youngblood, B. Daniels, Jim Boner and W. A. Ish have returned from a fishing trip on the Concho. They started for Devils River but found the roads so rough that they decided to stop on the Concho, having only a limited time to spend on the trip.

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Miss Opal Evans submitted to an operation for appendicitis a week ago Wednesday. She is reported to be recovering rapidly and will soon be able to return to her home.

Mrs. H. L. McElroy of Fort Worth, is in Vernon having come to be at the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. J. Oscar Fowler, who underwent an operation at a local hospital this morning.

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R. L. Blanton Dead.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Blanton and family returned yesterday from Sherman where they went to attend the burial of R. L. Blanton, brother of J. S. Blanton, who died Saturday at his home in Canadian. Mrs. Emma Teel of Vernon, a sister of the dead man, went from here to Sherman for the funeral also and will visit with relatives there.

Clarence Teel, a nephew went Canadian where services were also held and returned Wednesday.

Mr. Blanton has visited relatives here several times and was well known in Vernon.

L. C. Page, architect of Austin, is in Vernon to confer with the school board relatives to drawing plans for the proposed new High School building. Mr. Page furnished the plan for the Electra and Burk Burnett school buildings.

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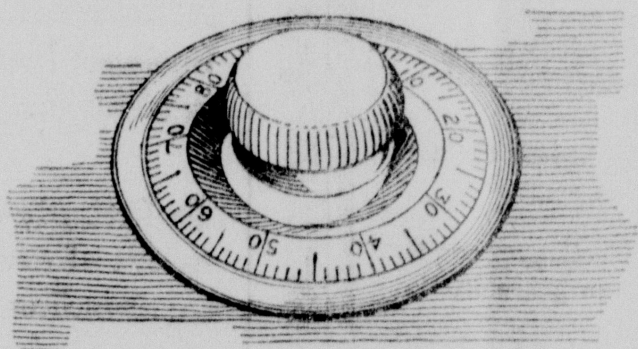
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ITEMS OF INTEREST IN WILBARGER

HAULK HILL

By special correspondence.

Farmers of this community are busy replanting their crops.

Miss Lilly Reeves spent the week-end with Miss Trixy Coffey at White City.

Miss Clara Boyd visited Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Floyd the past week.

Misses Florence and Eula Reeves and General Pretty attended the club girls encampment the past week.

Mrs. R. A. January and children visited Mrs. Lon Leverett of White City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Barrett and son Elmer visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. Lon Leverett Sunday.

Walter Starr visited his sister, Mrs. Dan Boon, Sunday.

Misses Letty Boyd and Pearl Floyd visited Essie Floyd Saturday night.

The young people of this community enjoyed a dance at the home of Dal Watson Saturday night.

Those attending the singing at White City Sunday from this community were: Misses Myrtle and Bessie Thomas, Hazel Boone, Ruby January, Letty and Clara Boyd, Pearl Floyd, Messrs. Bob January, Earl Boone, Elmer Barrett, Bill Cook, Dewey Hite and Mr. and Mrs. Johnson and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hobson of White City were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Sunday.

Carroll Reeves was a visitor in White City Monday.

ELRENO

By special correspondence.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Wall and Mr. and Mrs. J. Bristo of Guyer, made a business call to Iowa Park last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Atkins were in Vernon on business Wednesday.

Misses Manline Hanks, Lela Nettles, Bertha Lutz, Messrs. W. Walbrick, Edd and Cecil Hanks of this community attended the cream supper at Miss Thelma Bristo's of Guyer, which was given as a birthday party.

Edd Baker of Williamson, came Sunday to spend a while with his uncle, C. Shumann and other relatives of this community.

G. Patrus and family visited in the home of A. Mier, Sunday.

Mr. Riddle and family of Oklamou spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. Dobin and family.

M. P. Leudtkie and family made a business trip to Wichita Falls last week.

Geo. Lutz, M. P. Leudtkie and W. Walbricke were in Vernon Tuesday.

The farmers are preparing their threshers to thresh wheat and oats this week, but there will be very little grain to thresh in this community.

S. Gohar of Oklahoma is visiting in the home of R. B. Wilkenson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Patton of Elliott and

Miss Mary Douges of Elliott visited her cousin, Elsie Lutz Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. A. Wilkenson of Elliott spent awhile with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Wilkenson, Sunday.

FARMERS VALLEY

By special correspondence.

The sandstorm Sunday did not damage the crops of this community very severely.

Singing Sunday was well attended, several people from other communities were present and assisted with the singing.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Hoffman, Jr., and son, Roy, were visitors in this community Sunday.

Miss Lillian Cox is suffering from tonsillitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Short visited friends and relatives of this community Sunday.

Mrs. George McCauley is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Marion Nix.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Frost and daughter, Emma, and son, John, have returned from Lubbock, where they have been visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. R. W. Arnold. They also visited friends while there.

Miss Irlby Mae Rape spent Saturday night with Miss Alice Randel.

Olan Frost is recovering from an attack of poison oak.

Dib Randel's barn burned Monday shortly after noon. The way it was caught can't be determined because the family was absent.

Misses Erma and Nadine Allen, and Irlby Mae Rape spent Sunday with Miss Alice Randel.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Frost and daughters, Lois and Faye, were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Allen, Sunday.

W. R. Simpkins and son, Miller, were business visitors in Quanah Tuesday. Olan and Hiram Frost began harvesting Monday. The yield will be better than expected.

Mrs. Ray Blanchard is ill.

Vernon visitors from this community Saturday were: Dewey Brock, Shorty McAdams, Olan and Hiram Frost.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Rea ate dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Nix Sunday.

Misses Lillian and Edrie Cox entertained Sunday night with a singing.

RAYLAND NEWS

By special correspondent.

Miss Estelle Lawson of Dallas, visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rutledge last week.

Messrs. S. H. and Tom Allen returned Thursday, from Merkle where they took Paris Allen for treatment. Mesdames S. H. and Paris Allen left Saturday for Merkle.

Miss Lois Rutledge, of Vernon vis

ited Mrs. Robert Rutledge the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Will Green and family spent Friday with Mrs. R. L. Jordan.

The fruit supper at Mrs. F. T. Mears Saturday night was well attended. Every one reported a nice time.

Visitors in Vernon from here Saturday were: Lera and Blanch Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Paris, Fred and Geo. Duffie, Bill Jordan, Wayne Price, Jess Speaks, George and Luther Collins, Bill Oaks and Austin Beazley.

Tom Lawson of Crowell, visited in this community Sunday.

Those from here who attended the singing at West Rayland Sunday were Bud and Care Mears, Lenetta and Irene Jordan, Fred Duffie, Clyde Fox, Walter and Jack Lawson, Leslie Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Martin, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Davis and family.

Misses Lera and Blanche Parker, Ruby Weaver and Emma Schroeder, and Messrs. Paul Parker and Alvin Schroeder of West Rayland attended Sunday school at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Martin were in Vernon Friday.

Little Calita Faye Oaks has been seriously ill the past week but is reported some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Jordan and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gunn and daughter, Marie, Veva Lee Roberts, Milt Dale, Bill Jordan and Fred Duffie visited in the Mears home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hopkins visited in Vernon the latter part of last week with Mr. Hopkins' father.

The winds and sand of last week did great damage to the cotton around here. Almost everyone has planted over this week.

Edd Gunn was a business visitor in Vernon Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Oaks visited Mr.

and Mrs. Astin Beazley Saturday and Sunday.

We had quite a shower here Tuesday.

Ashberry Hughes of Vernon, visited his daughter, Mrs. Will Green, the first of the week.

Quite a number of men from this community went to Oklahoma, fishing Tuesday. Among those who went were: Tom Davis and Fred Caldwell. There were several others from other communities.

Miss Nina Rutledge of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. Roberts and her father, Charley Rutledge Tuesday.

WILDCAT NEWS

By special correspondence.

W. D. Nunn went to Vernon on business last Tuesday.

Miss Willie Colbert, of Electra is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Patton and family.

Mrs. I. G. Luttrell and Buford went to West Vernon Wednesday.

Edd Scott of Lubbock, visited his brother Elbert last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Patton and children of Dallas are here visiting her mother, Mrs. G. W. Hildebrand and family.

Miss Blyn Nunn attended the girls' encampment last Friday and took very sick and brought home Saturday morning.

Miss Eunice Jeffcoats and Mrs. Allie May Clements have gone to Bell county on a two or three weeks visit.

Miss Helen Richie attended the girls' encampment at Vernon Friday and Saturday and reports a fine time.

Miss Annie Nunn is sick at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith of Electra visited their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Burk, Sunday.

Lem Luttrell, of Vernon, was out

and worked a few days for his brother I. G. Luttrell last week.

Chester Robinson, of Vernon, visited Buford Luttrell Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hildebrand, of

Fargo visited his mother, Mrs. G. W. Hildebrand and family, Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Edmonson of Vernon, will preach here Sunday at 11 o'clock.

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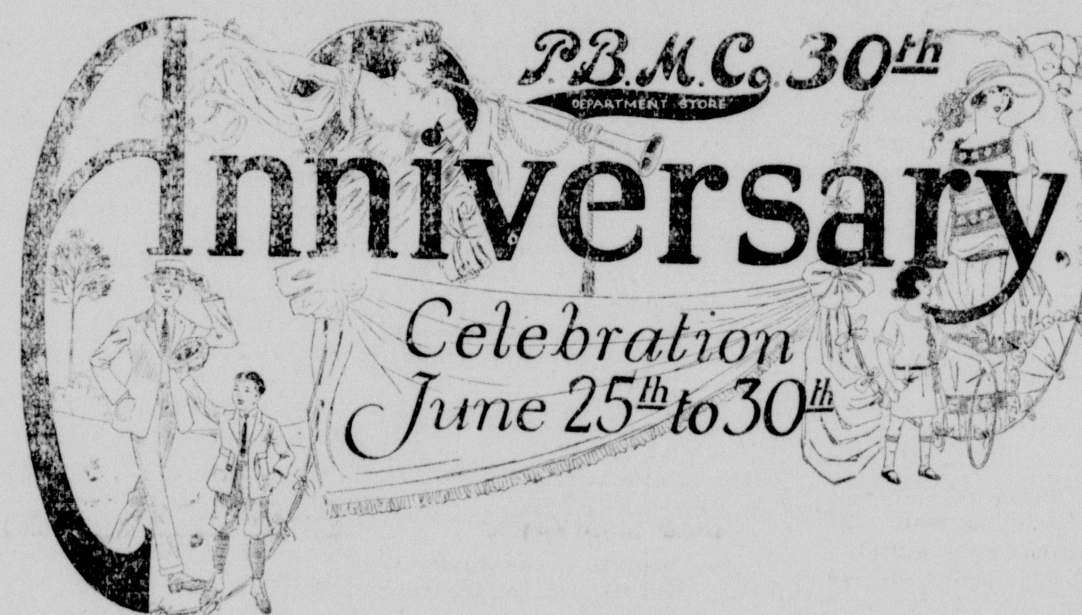
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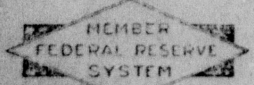
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LOCKETT ITEMS

By special correspondence.

Mrs. W. H. Foster spent last week visiting her daughter at Margaret.

T. E. Davis went last week to be at the bedside of his father at Putnam, who is not expected to live.

Mrs. T. J. Lockett and Mrs. Chas. Cato visited their daughter and sister in Vernon last Tuesday afternoon.

Rev. Edgar Pippin, of Chillicothe, will fill the pulpit at Lockett next Sunday morning and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Cato and family of Thalia, visited Mr. and Mrs. Charley Cato, last Sunday afternoon.

Miss Tommie Lee Autrey, of Floydada, spent the week end with Miss Wilma Lockett.

Willis Cato, of Fargo, is spending the week with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Higgins visited relatives at Fargo last Sunday.

H. L. and J. B. Leverett, of Fargo, spent Wednesday in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lockett, visited Mrs. Lockett's niece G. H. Davis and family in Vernon Tuesday night.

Mrs. Walter Hoffman attended the girls' encampment in Vernon Friday and Saturday.

ROBERT BRUMBALOW MADE BURKBURNETT CITY MANAGER

Robert Brumbalow, of Waco, has been made City Manager of Burkburnett. He is a brother of Will Brumbalow, who is principal of the Burkburnett High School and is well known in Vernon.

The office of City Manager was recently created in Burkburnett and the salary is \$300 per month. Mr. Brumbalow was city manager at Childress and County Attorney of Childress County before going to Waco where he has been practicing law.

WILL MAKE IMPROVEMENTS AT NEW CITY LAKE RESORT

The new City Lake having proven a popular swimming resort, Mayor Harry Mason, is planning to make such improvements as he can with the limited amount of money at his disposal for such purposes. In addition to the spring board already erected in shallow water for the youngsters another one is to be erected in deeper water for those who can swim. If possible to do so, the Mayor will also provide dressing rooms at the lake, he said.

CHILICOTHE MAN HAS FIVE TOES CUT OFF

Chillicothe, June 22.—Coley Thurman, 27, local blacksmith, is recovering from injuries received Tuesday night when a freight train on the Fort Worth and Denver road ran over his left foot cutting off all the toes. The accident happened at the station when Mr. Thurman was returning from Quanah.

Visitors Return Home

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carrington, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Quintan Crawford, of Crowell, returned Monday from a two week's visit to relatives at Crystal City. The trip was made by automobile and hunting and fishing were enjoyed all along the way. Mr. Carrington crossed the border while away and saw some of old Mexico.

While in Crystal City they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Peel, former residents of Vernon. Mrs. Peel and Mrs. Carrington are sisters. Mr. Peel who lived here years ago is justice of the Peace there.

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PRIDDY RAISES GOOD PEACHES AT WHITE CITY

T. B. Priddy, who resides near White City, was in Vernon yesterday with a load of fine peaches which he sold at good prices. Some of them were as large as baseballs or even larger and deliciously flavored. Mr. Priddy says he has a good peach crop on his four acre orchard this year.

Mrs. Walde Returns Home

Mrs. R. L. Walde, of Burkburnett, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Baird in this city returned home yesterday accompanied by her sister and brother, Miss Elizabeth and Hubert Baird. Mr. Walde, who is superintendent of the Nortex refinery at Burkburnett has been in Elkhart, Kans. on business and came by Vernon to accompany Mrs. Walde home.

Good Crops At Harrold

J. N. Luttrell of Harrold, was in Vernon yesterday on a short business trip. He said row crops around Harrold are in good condition but that the small grain crops are short. With good weather from now on he thinks Harrold will make a big cotton crop.

Mrs. Morris Goes To Lubbock

Mrs. Pauline Morris, who has been the guest of her sisters, Miss Ada Pierce, of Vernon and Miss Catherine Pierce, of Dallas, returned to her home at Lubbock this afternoon. Mrs. Catherine Pierce, who is attending Southern Methodist University will return home for a visit with relatives in July.

TIME TABLE

Fort Worth and Deaver

North Bound

No. 7 arrives 5:20 a. m.

No. 3 arrives 2:10 p. m.

No. 1 arrives 3:05 p. m.

South Bound

No. 4 arrives 11:10 a. m.

No. 2 arrives 1:03 p. m.

No. 8 arrives 12:55 p. m.

Frisco

Leaves for Oklahoma 6:50 a. m.

Arrives from Oklahoma 6:35 p. m.

Orient at Chillicothe

To Sweetwater and other points.

Leaves Chillicothe 10:45 a. m.

To Oklahoma Points

Leaves Chillicothe 3:03 p. m.

IN RE: GUARDIANSHIP OF IKE SMITH, A MINOR, IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WILBARGER COUNTY, TEXAS.

Notice is hereby given that I, Ed T. Smith, guardian of the estate of Ike Smith, a minor, have this the 22nd day of June 1923, filed my application in the above entitled and numbered cause for an order of the County Judge of Wilbarger County, Texas, authorizing me as guardian of the estate of said ward to make a mineral lease upon such terms as the court may

order and direct of the following described real estate belonging to the estate of said ward, to-wit:

An undivided one-sixteenth interest in fractional section number twenty seven (No. 27) in block fourteen (14) H. & T. C. Ry. Co. surveys in Wilbarger County, Texas.

An undivided one-sixteenth interest in fractional section number twenty eight (No. 28) in block fourteen (14) H. & T. C. Ry. Co. surveys in Wilbarger County, Texas.

Said application will be heard by the County Judge at the Court House in the City of Vernon, Texas, on the 30th day of June, A. D. 1923.

ED T. SMITH,

Guardian of the estate of Ike Smith, a minor.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Wilbarger County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon J. E. Walker, L. P. Lawrence, J. F. Edwards and Carry Edwards by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof in some newspaper published in your county to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Wilbarger County, to be held at the court house thereof in Vernon, Texas, on the third Monday in August, 1923, being the 20th day of said month, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 20th day of June, 1923, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 3315, wherein J. E. Walker is plaintiff and J. F. Edwards, L. P. Lawrence, J. F. Edwards and Carry Edwards are defendants. Said petition alleging that on the 1st of June, 1923, plaintiff was the owner of lot six (6) in block four (4), Seclark & Lotman Addition to the town of Vernon, in Wilbarger County, Texas, and on said date defendants entered upon same and ejected plaintiff therefrom to plaintiff's damage of \$5000.00.

Plaintiff further alleges that he and those whose estate he has, claiming said property under deed duly registered has had peaceable and adverse possession, cultivating and paying taxes upon the same for more than five years and he and those whose estate he has, claiming to have good and perfect right and title to said premises, has held the same peaceably and had the adverse possession thereof for more than ten years next preceding the 1st of June, 1923, claiming said land under the statute of limitation and praying for writ of restitution and that all title be divested out of defendants and vested in plaintiff, for cost of suit and general relief.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court on the said first day of the next term thereof this suit with your return showing how you have executed the same. Witness Mrs. J. A. Walker, Clerk of the District Court of Wilbarger County, Texas, at the court house in the City of Vernon, this 20th day of June, 1923.

(SEAL) MRS. J. A. WALKER,

Clerk District Court, Wilbarger County, Texas.

NOTICE—SHERIFF'S SALE (Personal Property)

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Wilbarger:

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable County Court of Hunt County, on 1st day of June A. D. 1923, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of Collins Decker Co., a corporation, versus T. A. Hamilton, No. 341, and in the case of Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell for cash, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's sales, on the 22nd day of June A. D. 1923, at 10 o'clock a. m., the following described property, to-wit:

One Solo Concerto Player Piano No. 2490, (Whereas, on the 15th day of November, A. D. 1922, Collins Decker Company, a corporation, recovered from the County Court of Hunt County, a judgment against T. A. Hamilton, for the sum of Five Hundred Six and 33/100 Dollars, together with interest thereon from the 15th day of November, 1922, at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, and costs of suit, and whereas, said judgment is a foreclosure of a mortgage lien as it existed on the 20th day of October 1921, on the following described property, to-wit:

One Solo Concerto Player Piano No. 2490, levied on as the property of T. A. Hamilton to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$506.33 in favor of Collins Decker Co., a corporation and costs of suit, GIVEN UNDER MY HAND, this 10th day of June A. D. 1923.

W. FRANK EDMONDSON, Sheriff

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ITEMS OF INTEREST IN WILBARGER

BROWN NEWS

By special correspondence.

The farmers are very busy now chopping their cotton.

This community was visited by a rain Tuesday morning.

Rev. M. Edmonson, of Vernon, filled the pulpit Sunday morning and Rev. F. T. Johnson also, of Vernon preached Sunday afternoon. A large crowd attended the services.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Tillery and family visited Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Raper. Misses Helen and Dorothea Franke and brother, Adolph, attended church in Vernon Sunday morning.

W. C. Winslett has been very ill for the past few days.

The young people from this community that attended the party given by Mr. and Mrs. Wilbanks at Union were: Misses Ina and Roxy Hammons, Mattie Likely, Messrs. Ebern Davidson, Roy Strance and Floyd Likely.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Likely, of Electra spent Saturday night and Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Likely.

R. L. Strange, of Rio Vista has been visiting relatives and friends in this community for the past few days.

Mrs. J. H. Hammons, who has had the typhoid fever for some time, is much improved at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Jarvis and family visited relatives at Rayland Sunday.

Rev. F. T. Johnson and wife of Vernon visited Mrs. Howard Hammons Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hoffman were business visitors at Lockett Monday afternoon.

E. F. Likely, of Electra, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Likely.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Woods, of Rayland visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bowers, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. H. G. Hammons, of Iowa Park and Mrs. E. L. Vaughn, of Vernon, spent last Thursday afternoon in the W. A. Hammons home.

Misses Ruth Cain, Ina and Roxie Hammons and Messrs. Whitley, Orvel Wheeler, George and Bill Cain attended singing at Union Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Edmonson and wife, of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. S. M. James Sunday.

Misses Bessie and Lucille Milner were visitors in Vernon one day last week.

Mrs. Walter Hoffman attended the club girls encampment at Allingham park Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. S. A. Dill visited Mrs. O. S. Raper Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Billings, of Vernon visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Franke, Tuesday night.

George Cain is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Cain.

Miss Gertrude Houston, E. A. Woods and Lee Brock, all of Union, attended prayer meeting at Brown Sunday night.

Mrs. H. L. Westerman, of Oklahoma

was a visitor in this community Wednesday.

Rev. W. A. Davidson, of Fargo will fill his regular appointment Saturday night and Sunday morning.

FARGO NEWS

By special correspondence.

Rev. Mr. McKenzie filled his regular appointment at the Christian church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Shaw and Mrs. Fred Shearer and two sons, of Plainview are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Marr.

Miss Lucy Stafford, who underwent an operation in Vernon two weeks ago has returned home.

Misses Leonora and Roberta Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hendrix, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McDaniel and Otis Shaw visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Emmett.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Baptist church held a market at the City Meat Market Saturday and collected \$14.10.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McDaniel and M. L. McDaniel are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McDaniel. After visiting here a while they will go on to Plainview to make their home.

Rev. F. D. Pearson filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church Sunday.

Vernon visitors from Fargo Saturday were: Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McDaniel, Mrs. Williamson, R. B. Richardson.

The infant baby of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Sweatmon was buried in Fargo cemetery Friday afternoon.

The two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Jones died Monday afternoon, burial was in Fargo cemetery.

Miss Lillian Sweatmon, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at a sanitarium in Dallas returned home last week.

Mrs. Charlie Mason had an attack of appendicitis last week.

Dr. A. C. Rogers, of Odell was in Fargo Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Marr motored to Paducah Sunday returning home Sunday afternoon.

The community club put on a play at the school auditorium last Friday night.

The Women's Missionary Society met at the Baptist church Thursday night, Circle No. 1 having charge of the program.

The windows in the Fargo School building were nearly all broken by hail some time ago. Few windows are being put in this week.

THALIA NEWS

By special correspondence.

Rev. Mr. McNair and family returned home from Abilene Thursday, where they have been visiting relatives the past two weeks. Mr. McNair filled the pulpit at the Baptist church Sunday and Sunday night.

Truett Neill came home Wednesday from Austin where he had been with

the National Guard. Wade Odie went to McKinney to visit a while with relatives before returning.

Mrs. Smith of Margaret, and Mrs. Richard McCoy, of Chillicothe, visited Mrs. McCoy's cousin, Mrs. G. A. Neill, Wednesday afternoon.

Homer Doty went to Vernon one day last week and purchased a Ford roadster.

Mrs. M. C. Adkins and Mrs. Earl McKinley went to Crowell Friday.

Frank Long and family, of Crowell, visited his brother, Walter Long and family, here Sunday.

Earl McKinley and wife, and Mrs. E. Grimsley and Joe French and family were Vernon visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Nora Lawrence and children, of Lorena, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Crow here this week.

Garland Burns made a business trip to Vernon Saturday.

Misses Annie Mae Neill, Fay Randolph, Clio and Velma Phillips visited Miss Annie Wood Sunday.

Mrs. Hugh Thompson was taken to Vernon Monday where she underwent an operation Tuesday for appendicitis. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. John Bennett, of Erie, Okla., who will stay with her through her illness.

Dr. Clark of Crowell, was called to see little Benone McNair Tuesday.

Grover Nichols and wife took their daughter, Lois, to Vernon Monday, where she underwent an operation for the removal of her tonsils.

Mrs. M. A. Crowell and little granddaughter of Crowell, spent a few days

last week with her daughter, Mrs. G. B. Burns and family here.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harlie Capps June 18, a 10 pound boy.

John Thompson, Jr., and wife and Leona Thompson went to Vernon on Tuesday to visit Mrs. H. Thompson who is in a sanitarium there.

Mrs. T. M. Haney and daughter, Miss Leta came home Monday from Vernon where Miss Leta has been taking treatment the past two weeks.

James Long and Archie Williams, of Crowell, passed through Thalia Thursday en route to Vernon.

H. R. Randolph and family visited Gordon Davis and family in the Ayer-ville community Sunday.

T. A. Johnson and wife and daughter, Miss Myrtle, returned Saturday from Tohoka and other points on the plains where they visited relatives the past week.

Carroll Lindsey is the owner of a new Ford car.

S. T. Bowman and family and Brown Franklin, of Margaret, visited Mrs. Bowman's mother, Mrs. W. T. Brown, Sunday.

Tom Johnson returned home from Denton Friday where he has been on business.

Garland and Bennie Thompson visited their mother, Mrs. Hugh Thompson Tuesday at a sanitarium in Vernon.

W. T. Aubrey and Fred Rennels of Crowell were business visitors here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Garner, who

have been visiting Mrs. Garner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Collier, the last few weeks, returned home at Turkey Friday.

RED RIVER NEWS

By special correspondence.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Stephens are the proud parents of a fine baby girl, born Saturday June 16.

Maize looks fresh and pretty since rain this week.

The alfalfa is growing by leaps and bounds and will soon be ready to cut again.

A good many of the locust trees are dying because of so much rain.

Charlie S. Killough was a visitor at Emmett Yarbrough's Monday.

Miss Tommie F. Killough visited Miss Helen Yarbrough Monday.

Mr. Hays visited H. N. McDougal and Lee Crowover Thursday.

Miss Helen Yarbrough visited Miss Tommie F. Killough Monday.

Miss Edna McCollum was a guest

of Miss Opal McDougal Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. McCollum and children, Edna, Clyde, Troy and Roy were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Cass Shaw and children Sunday.

Miss Clarice and Krickett Hamilton spent the past week at the home of Wesley Sears, in Crowell.

Misses Myrtle and Ollie Patterson, visited Mrs. Emmett Harris and children Monday.

Mr. Cass Shaw's children Margaret,

The whooping cough is raging in this community.

Pauline and Athlene are ill at this writing.

Miss Margaret Harris visited Mr. and Mrs. Lott Patterson and family Monday.

Mrs. Spurgeon McDougal and baby, Letta Vern, visited Mrs. Nora Cook Sunday.

Spurgeon McDougal and Louise and Spurgeon, Jr., visited H. N. McDougal Sunday.

Bring the Whole Family
SUNDAY DINNERS A SPECIALTY

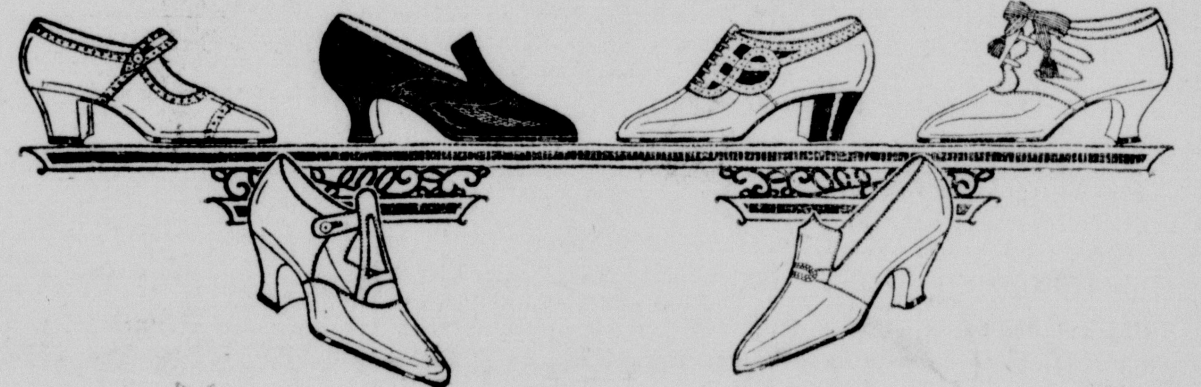
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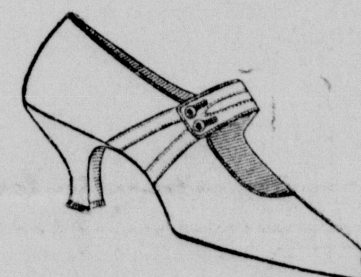
This black satin pump is one of the best styles of the season. Has 14-8 Spanish heel with black suede trim. Former price \$8.50, now **\$4.95**

GREY SUEDE PUMP



A pretty, new colonial grey suede pump, 14-8 Spanish heel. Patent leather trim, splendid style. Former price \$9.50, now **\$5.85**

TWO STRAP PUMP



A very attractive two-tone pump with patent vamp and beige suede quarter. New Spanish toe and Spanish heel. Regular price \$8.50, reduced to **\$5.85**

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A new style cross strap satin pump, 14-8 Spanish heel, medium round toe. One of our best satin pumps. Former price \$9.50, reduced to **\$6.85**

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VERNON'S PROPOSED SCHOOL BONDS SELL FOR \$115,500

JUST HOW PEOPLE ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR LEGISLATURE

Cecil Storey Points Out
Responsibility Resting
with Voters in Choos-
ing Right Men

Representative Cecil Storey is writing for the Record a series of three articles on the Texas Legislature. The first of the series follows:

Much has been said concerning the 38th Texas Legislature by both the informed and uninformed, but what ever conclusions the reader may draw it is sufficient to say that the Legislative branch of the State government is about as important and necessary as the judicial and executive departments. In fact, one cannot exist without the other. As to whether or not that branch of government is properly functioning, is a matter that taxes the patience of the most learned.

The Legislature is a creature of the constitution, and since it is a part of the organic law; and since ours is a representative form of government, republican in kind, the people, who are the State, are responsible for the personnel of the Legislature. It would be ill-becoming on my part to cast any reflection or insinuation on the present Texas Legislature, except, I am pleased to say that it is a body of fine men. The standard of the Legislature has been raised or lowered in the past, just as the people themselves have determined, and until our organic law is materially changed, future legislatures will likewise be determined. If the people see fit to elect demagogues, politicians, agitators, and men who are not a success at home, or abroad to the legislature, they ought to know the inevitable consequences. On the other hand, should the people wake up to the situation, and realize the important and serious responsibility, in selecting men to such places, the results will be just in proportion to standard or calibre, thus selected and the standard they seek to adopt.

When it comes to handling millions of dollars of the people's money, which money is exacted from them by means of taxation, it is high time that the people, especially those who have almost reached a rebellious state concerning paying taxes to take cognizance of the fact and start now to create a sentiment that will crystallize around the importance of the matter to the end that the best men in the community may aspire to such positions. Had the people paid as much attention for the past twenty years as to who they sent to the Texas Legislature, as they watched the legislature this spring, when it was almost apparent that the taxes would be increased, and made to cover broader fields, conditions would be materially different.

The legislature is composed of men, they are human, they come from every walk of life, some have their hobbies, while others are inclined to be very liberal in their views, others share more fixed and dogmatic opinions. Many of them realize that, unfortunately for this great State, the average Texas Legislature, is not held in the very highest esteem by the people. They further realize that while public sentiment often pre-judges them, yet they are elected to an important office, and notwithstanding an unhappy and unpleasant atmosphere with which they often have to contend, most if not all, strive to do their duty for at least one term. Patriotic men who even serve one term are going to become fever and less interested, unless the people wake up to the importance of inducing, not only patriotic, but qualified men to aspire to such positions. This fact is demonstrated to some extent in this way: the present lower house, so far as I am informed, had ninety new members, less than thirty old members were defeated, thus you see, one term, and no more. It usually takes a new member at least one term to become familiar with the rules and regulations, and while acquiring such knowledge (which is absolutely necessary), an older and experienced mem-

MAN THOUGHT TO BE DEAD IS
VERY MUCH ALIVE



Warren J. Lincoln, horticulturist, of Aurora, Illinois, whose presumed murder has been sought all over the United States, following his disappearance and the finding of blood-stained Indian clubs has returned to the little town telling a weird story of being kidnapped in a plot engineered by his estranged wife. The sheriff, doubting the story, has dropped the case.

Katherine Wheatley Wins Franklin Car as Newspaper Prize

Miss Katherine Wheatley, daughter of J. W. Wheatley, received word this morning that she had won the third grand prize in the Dallas News circulation contest. The prize in this case is a Franklin automobile. Miss Wheatley also won a \$250 cash prize in the contest.

Up until the last day it appeared as if Miss Wheatley would win the first grand prize, but votes coming in on the last count overcame her lead. She had a total of 9,295,655 votes.

Miss Wheatley was the only person out of Dallas to win a grand prize.

Elliott Club Girls Hold Vegetable and Fruit Canning Meet

A number of club girls gathered on Thursday at the home of Winnie Goss at Elliott and canned fruit and vegetables. They were assisted in the work by Miss Eula Goodfellow, home demonstration agent. Various clubs in the county are now beginning to can their annual supply of fruits and vegetables under Miss Goodfellow's direction.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION BUYS ELECTRA SCHOOL BONDS

Announcement has been made that the \$196,000 worth of bonds voted in Electra to build a high school, have been purchased by the State Department of Education at par and accrued interest. The bonds bears five percent interest.

A sale of the bonds contracted to a Little Rock, Ark., firm was declared annulled because the bonds were so long in being approved.

Barry's Visit Here

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Barry, of Fort Worth accompanied by Mrs. R. M. Morrow and son, Paul, of Wichita Falls, came in Sunday to visit their father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Barry and left Tuesday stopping at Wichita Falls for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Morrow before returning home. Mr. Barry is manager of a Piggy-Wiggly store in Fort Worth. They have spent two weeks vacation visiting friends at Waxahachie, Houston and Galveston.

LARGE AUDIENCES ATTEND OPENING OF CHAUTAQUA HERE

Entertainers Get Liberal
Applause at both Shows
Thursday When Big
Tent Is Filled

The Redpath-Horner Chautauqu, opened here Thursday afternoon with a big tent in the rear of the library filled almost to capacity for the opening performance. At the night performance the tent was filled to capacity. The applause at both shows was liberal, with those on the program holding their audiences at all times.

The sale of Chautauqua tickets is reported to have been satisfactory and the crowds for the opening days were even better than anticipated. For the opening event the Chamber of Commerce, through arrangement with the Chautauqua company, gave tickets to farmers and members of their families. At night, however, no tickets were given away and the crowd was just as large if not larger.

Tonight the feature bill is to be "Potash and Perlmutter" with a cast of well known players. Saturday afternoon there will be a concert by Irene Stofsky and her artists with another in the evening and a lecture by Chester M. Sanford. Sunday there will be a concert by the Marion Male Quartette in the afternoon and a concert by the same quartette in the evening with a lecture on radio by Glenn Morris. Jesse Teagarden is directing the chautauqua here.

Emancipation Day Is Celebrated Here by Negro Population

The negro emancipation celebration went off in big style here Tuesday with several hundred negroes present. Many white people went out to see the baseball game and other events of the day.

There was only one fight at the grounds. Numerous arguments marked the baseball game between Henrietta and Vernon negro teams. Vernon finally won by a score of 9 to 8, according to the Vernon score keeper. However there are said to have been three score keepers and none of them agreed on the total score. It took four outs to end an inning at one stage in the game.

DeWitt Walden was general manager of the celebration.

DeMolay Chapter Has Received Charter to Be Placed in Hall

The Vernon Chapter, De Molay, was presented with its charter as Chapter No. 346, Tuesday night, June 19. The charter is a prettily engraved and framed piece of parchment and will hang in the lodge rooms.

On the charter are the names of L. G. Hawkins as chairman, E. M. Haney, advisor and the following members of the advisory council: E. L. Witty, J. N. Fulcher, T. J. Summerour, W. H. Huggins, J. W. Leak, Selon Sewell, J. V. Townsend and L. E. Kester.

HOG CALLING CONTEST TO FEATURE FALL FAIRS

A hog calling contest and a horse shoe pitching contest (barnyard golf) will be features of the Electra, Burk Burnett and Iowa Park community fairs this year. At a recent meeting in Iowa Park representatives from all three of those towns decided on the dates for the fairs this fall which are as follows: Burk Burnett, Sept. 21 and 22; Iowa Park, Sept. 18 and 19; Electra, Sept. 26 and 27. Iowa Park and Electra have option to swap dates. The Electra Band is to play at the three fairs.

"TUT" DYNASTY HEIR TO WED MOVIE GIRL



Pearl Shepard, a New York moving picture actress, in private life Pearl Ginsberg, daughter of a furrier, has sailed for Europe. In Egypt she will become the bride of Prince Mohammed Ali Ibrahim, descendant of the Pharaohs, who declares he will forfeit his rights to the Egyptian throne if necessary. The Prince, who has been in America for several months, was seen often in Hollywood with Mabel Normand, the film actress.

TWO TRUCK LOADS OF SCOUTS TOURING

PASS THROUGH VERNON GOING
TO YELLOWSTONE PARK AND
ARE GIVEN SWIM HERE

When 31 Boy Scouts and their scoutmaster from Oak Grove, La., reached Vernon in two Ford trucks this morning en route to Yellowstone National Park, they were taken to Hillcrest club for a swim. Bruce Gibson, Ep. M. Haney, R. D. L. Killough and Emory Rhoads served as a committee to entertain the boys while they were here. The party of 32 is traveling in the especially fitted trucks. They are in full scout uniform and have all standard scout equipment. They spent last night at Iowa Park and expect to make Memphis by tonight. They have a regular schedule worked out and so far they are traveling on schedule time and are enjoying every bit of the trip.

Open House At Robinsons

J. D. Robinson and Company held open house to the people of Vernon and Wilbarger county, Thursday afternoon announcing the opening of the new grocery department on West Texas street in the Crow Sisters building. Sandwiches and fruit punch were served to the guests.

Dr. J. E. Dodson Sr. Is Very Low at Home of Daughter in Dallas

In a telephone message to members of his family just before 11 o'clock today, Dr. J. E. Dodson, Jr., who is at the bedside of his father, Dr. J. E. Dodson, Sr., in Dallas, said the aged physician was sinking rapidly and very little hope was maintained for his recovery.

The Senior Dr. Dodson left Vernon more than a week ago to visit his daughter, Mrs. Squires in Dallas. He has been in ill health for many months.

Wednesday night Dr. J. E. Dodson, Jr., was hurriedly summoned to his father's bedside as physicians in Dallas reported him to be very low.

LEGION MEMBERS TRIM PARK TREES

WILL WHITEWASH TREES IF
SOMEBODY FURNISHES MA-
TERIAL AS LEGION IS BROKE

Members of the local post American Legion under the leadership of Post Commander Ep M. Haney, completed the work at the tourist park yesterday trimming trees. There were more trees that needed trimming than anticipated and it took two days to do the work. The branches were cut off and piled.

Those who were present helping with the work announced they will whitewash the trees if the people of Vernon will furnish the whitewash. The Legion has no funds with which to buy the whitewash. Commander Haney said anyone who is willing to furnish whitewash can communicate with him.

The Legion members who took part in the work at the park were: Ep. M. Haney, Marvin C. Culbertson, T. J. Bridges, Harry Robinson, Arthur Hingst, Tom Loran, Crutcher Cole, Jim Jordan, Roy Abbott and Earle Norwood.

Vernon Odd Fellows Assist in Conferring Degree Work Monday

Six Vernon Odd Fellows went to Rayland Monday night to assist in giving the first degree in the I. O. O. F. lodge there. In addition to the degree work, there was a social program and a good fried chicken dinner was served.

Those who went from Vernon to assist in the work at Rayland were: Earl Coleman, L. P. Kramer, J. A. Baird, Arthur Carney, A. F. Ivy and Gary Evans.

Return From Kentucky

Mrs. Lou Winn, Miss Rebecca Crow and T. B. Crow returned last week from a six week's visit with relatives in Franklin and Scottsville, Ky.

REPRESENTATIVES OF BIG BOND HOUSES ENGAGE IN BIDDING FOR ISSUE IN CASE IT IS VOTED HERE

Council Chamber Resembles Chicago Wheat
Pit With Buyers Running Up Bids Until
One by One They Drop Out Leaving
Top Man Offering \$4500 Premium

Vernon's proposed school bond issue of \$110,000 to build a new High school building has been sold for a total of \$115,500 conditional on the voting of bonds. Bond buyers representing bond houses all over the nation were present at the City Commission meeting yesterday afternoon in the City Hall and for more than two hours the city council chamber resembled, to some extent, the famous wheat pit of Chicago.

Bidding was brisk and the score or more of buyers were anxious to get the Vernon bonds. T. H. Bowman, representing Stern Brothers Company of Kansas City gave a premium of \$4,500 on the total issue in addition to par and accrued interest, bringing the value of the issue up to \$115,500 and making the individual bonds worth \$104.09. He put up a \$5,000 cash for-

feit to take the bonds at that price when they are voted.

Following the bidding, the city commission members, headed by Mayor Harry Mason, consulted with the school board and on advice of that body accepted the bid.

The bonds are to be voted on at an election called for July 17. The issue is to build a new high school building here, the present building being so inadequate as to have attracted the attention of the State Department of Education which has asked that Vernon erect a new building. The price paid for the bonds is among the best sales that has been made by any city in the state, bond buyers asserted yesterday.

Several architects are in the city conferring with the school board relative to drawing plans for the new school building.

AMARILLO TRIPPERS DUE HERE TUESDAY

SPECIAL TRAIN WILL BRING
BOOSTERS WITH SHIRINE BAND
AND I. O. O. F. DRUM CORPS

The special train of Amarillo boosters is due to arrive in Vernon at 12:45 o'clock Tuesday afternoon of next week and will leave at 3 o'clock the same afternoon for the west. The boosters are coming here on their three day trade trip which will include all the main towns in this immediate vicinity of the state.

The Khiva Temple Shrine Band and the I. O. O. F. Drum Corps from the same place will accompany the boosters. They will travel on a special all steel train and on reaching here they will parade through the principal streets.

The local Chamber of Commerce will officially welcome the visitors and they will be given a chance to see Vernon.

Longest Day Is Also Hottest Day Local Weather Sages Say

The summer solstice began yesterday, June 21, and, according to all weather forecasters, the cool spring weather which has prevailed for many weeks was officially ended at that time. This fact was evident as yesterday was considered by many persons to have been the hottest day of the year.

Thursday was also the longest day of the year. From sunrise to sunset was 14 hours and 19 minutes. Sunday the days will begin to get shorter again and within a few weeks considerably more sleeping time will be available.

John Self Breaks Arm

John Self, living on the Watts farm near Doans, is nursing a fractured arm this week caused from trying to crank an automobile. The accident occurred last Wednesday morning in front of Parker-Donges Grocery store as Mr. Self was ready to go home.

Both bones of the right fore arm were broken. Mr. Self is getting along nicely, but it will be some time before he can work.

No Concert Tonight

Robert Reed, leader of the Vernon Concert Band, announced today there will be no concert on the Court House square. It was decided not to have a band concert during the chautauqua.

GOOD ROAD CARAVAN COMES HERE MONDAY

DICK COFFEE WILL SPEAK AT
CONVENTION IN ALVARADO
JUNE 27 AND 28

When the caravan of automobiles from Denver, Colo., and intermediate points reach Vernon Monday night to stop over en route to the Colorado Gulf Highway convention at Alvarado, they will be joined here by Judge E. L. McHugh and Dick Coffee, who will make the trip with the caravan. Mr. Coffee goes to take the place of R. H. Nichols on the program. He will speak on the subject "Is the free camp ground a success?"

Fully 10 automobile loads of road boosters are due to go to the convention from Colorado points and many more will join between Amarillo and Vernon. At the same time another caravan will come from the direction of Waco and many people will go by train. The convention is to be June 27 and 28.

White City Has Two Baseball Pitchers Making Good Records

White City community boasts of two baseball pitchers of unusual merit, Seymour Dunson and Jim Johnson. Dunson who has been captain and pitcher of his home team for several seasons and who made an extra good record last year, took typhoid fever before the season was over. But this year he is back in the game in better form than ever. Johnson was captain and forward in White City's basketball team this year. He is pitching some mighty good games. Outside teams are now using these pitchers. Last Saturday Johnson pitched the game for Odell against Elmer, Oklahoma, at Odell. The score was 1 to 0 in favor of Odell. Johnson struck out 13 men. On Wednesday Dunson pitched for Odell at Elmer, resulting in a 2 to 3 in favor of Odell. Dunson struck out 13 men. Odell is using these pitchers in winning all their games and they have won the last four played. With a chance these boys will make a record in baseball.

Buy In Business

August D. Tennyson has purchased an interest in the Somers Auto Spring Company in Wichita Falls. Mr. Tennyson is associated with C. L. Naylor in the spring business here.

City Briefs

Emory Rhoads went to Wichita Falls on business Thursday.

Cotton Chopping goes at right angles North Texas Hardware Company, Inc.

J. D. Darnell, of Wichita Falls is in the city on business.

Fresh supply of carbon at Ferguson Drug Company.

Miss Cecelia Johnson will spend the week end with friends in Bald, Okla.

Frank Minarik leaves this week for Colorado to spend his vacation.

W. M. Robinson of Fort Worth, was here Wednesday on business.

Mrs. C. T. Smith is ill with an attack of lumbago.

Miss Essie McLarty is quite ill this week.

F. W. Kennedy, of Quannah, was in Vernon on business this week.

Sam Napier was in Wichita Falls Wednesday.

Roy Russell went to Wichita Falls Wednesday on business.

L. C. Hooper is reported to be recovering rapidly from an operation performed early this week.

Cotton chopping goes at right angles, Wilbarger Hardware Company.

E. C. Christian and family have returned from a stay of several weeks at Mineral Wells.

P. E. Todd and brother, of Crowell, were in Vernon this week and shipped a car load of hogs from here.

Ladies. We have aprons, skirts, bonnets and all handwork at Presbyterians Guild Bazaar.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stroud of Hault Hill, were here on business Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thornton Lomax of Wichita Falls visited relatives here this week.

J. M. Wells of Bonham, is here this week looking after his farming interests in this county.

Mrs. Daniel Bond and son, Billie, have returned from a trip to Mineral Wells.

Mrs. Frank H. Wright, of Amarillo, is visiting relatives in Vernon this week.

Miss Maurine Cole has returned to her home in Frederick after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Lentwyler and son, E. M. Jr., are visiting in Waco and other Central Texas points.

Nathan Lowenthal, of Houston, a former resident of Vernon was here Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. J. M. Holder, of Elgin is a guest this week of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Samuel.

Misses Adelle Blumel and Jananita Blumel of Elgin were guests of Mrs. Merle Ladd this week.

Mrs. Quincy Wilson of Chillicothe, and children left Wednesday after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Williams.

You will find a large stock of hay ties at North Texas Hardware Company.

City Engineer, A. J. Robinson has returned from the Water Engineers convention at Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Bryant returned Sunday from Fort Worth, where Mr. Bryant went for medical examination.

Attend Presbyterian Guild Bazaar at Hault building Saturday, June 23, lunch from 11:30 until 2.

Ones Lindsey of Kingola, has returned home after having recovered from an operation performed in a hospital here.

Jesse Teagarden, manager of the Redpath-Horner Chautauquas, is in the city in connection with chautauqua week.

Tom Nally, who had one limb taken off in a hospital here last week, is recovering rapidly and physicians say he will soon be out of the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Hamilton and son, Leslie, of Sherwood, came to attend the Chautauqua Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Gladys Massie Eaton has returned to her home in Altus, Okla., after spending some time here at the home of her brother, F. L. Massie.

Mrs. Arthur Ward is confined to her home with a painful sprained foot. Physicians say it will be about 10 days before she will be able to walk.

Mr. Osborne & Young, Mrs. Otto Dittich, and Mr. Hill, all of Elgin, visited Mr. and Mrs. Van W. Hall on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCrary and son, Tommy, left recently for Colorado Springs where they will be gone until Fall. The trip is made for the benefit of Mr. McCrary's health.

Mrs. Gladys Eaton, of Altus, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Massie having come here to be with Frank Massie Jr. during his operation.

Mrs. Clarke McKinney of San Antonio, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. T. P. Lisman. The family moved from here many years ago and since that time have been living in South Texas.

Guy A. Garlander, Amarillo architect, was here yesterday conferring with members of the school board with reference to the proposed new high school building.

Mr. W. W. Johnson and little grand son, L. M. Watson, of Trent, Texas, are visiting in Vernon at the home of her friends, Rev. and Mrs. F. T. Johnson and family.

J. S. Wyatt of Dallas, is in the city on business this week.

Fresh supply of carbon at Ferguson Drug Company.

Mrs. H. C. Gooden of Farmers Valley, has returned home from a hospital in this city.

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Mrs. A. J. Jarrell, who resides on the Byars farm, is in a local hospital to undergo an operation.

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Why Should Vernon Water Rates Be Higher Than the Average for Texas Cities

We have heard much about the efficiency of the Vernon water system, but these opinions must have been arrived at by comparisons with itself rather than by comparisons with other towns and cities. Vernon's water supply is obtained from shallow wells. It is of fine quality. Nature has been kind to us in providing an abundant supply of good water at only a few feet below the surface.

Let Us Compare Vernon Water Rates With Other Towns and Cities of Texas and See if We Are Getting Efficiency and Economy in Our Water System

Here are some examples, selected at random from over Texas, including a few privately owned plants. Most of these cities, however, like Vernon, own and operate their water systems.

Snyder, 3,500 population, flat rate \$1.00 per month domestic. Flat rate \$1.75 per month business.

Sulphur Springs, 5,558 population, 30c per thousand gallons, 90c net minimum per month, with sliding scale of rate down to 15c.

Orange, 9,212 population, maximum 30c per 1000 gallons.

Taylor, 12,000 population, maximum rate 33 1-3 cents to individuals; \$1.00 minimum.

Tyler, 13,000 population maximum 25c per thousand gallons, graduated down to 9c; minimum 50c to 90c per month.

Seguin, 5,000 population, first 4,500 gallons 75c, minimum; 6,500 gallons \$1.00; all over 10c per thousand gallons.

Mount Pleasant, 4,000 population, maximum 30c per thousand gallons down to 10c, 75c per month minimum.

Victoria, 8,000 population, 22 1-2c per thousand maximum rate, \$1.50 minimum.

Huntsville, 3,000 population, first 1,000 gallons at 25c, \$1.00 minimum. Flat rates from \$1.00 upwards for families.

New Braunfels, 4,000 population, first 2,500 gallons 30c, ranging down to 5c per thousand; minimum 75c.

Cisco, 7,422 population, 30c per 1,000 gallons. Flat rate for domestic use \$1.00.

Brownwood, metered 11,250 gallon (min) per quarter. All over 11,250 gallon per quarter, 20c per 1,000. Flat rate, \$2.25 per quarter.

Arlene, 10,271 population, 25c per 1,000 gallons, minimum \$1.00 per year, 91c per month.

Gonzales, 5,000 population, flat rate for residences, \$1.00 to \$2.00 per month.

Gainesville, 7,700 population, 25c per thousand gallons, 50c minimum.

Balling, 2,767 population, first 5,000 gallons 20c, manufacturing rate 12 1-2c, minimum charge \$1.00.

Brenham, 5,066 population, first 6,000 gallons 25c, minimum \$1.00, ranging down to 15c per thousand gallons.

Cisco, 7,422 population, 30c per thousand gallons, flat rate for domestic use \$1.00.

Huntsville, 3,000 population, first 1,000 gallons at 25c per 1,000.

Gonzales, 5,000 population, flat rate for residence \$1.00 to \$2.00.

Greenville, 30c down to 15c per thousand gallons, 75c minimum.

Lampasas, 3,000 population, first 8,000 gallons \$1.25. All over at 12 1-2c per thousand gallons. Flat rate \$1.00 per month for domestic purposes only.

If the Vernon Water Plant Is Efficiently and Economically Managed Why Should Rates Be So Much Higher Than Other Texas Towns of Our Class?

Remember that few towns in Texas can get water ready for pumping and distribution as cheaply as Vernon. We have shallow wells. Many other towns have to dig deep wells to get water. Others have to build expensive reservoirs and pipe it long distances. The main cost of water in Vernon is for pumping, distribution and overhead. Why should these charges be so high in Vernon? Bear in mind also that the City has invested about \$100,000 additional in the water plant in the past year. Add your tax on this investment to present high water rates and see what you will pay. ELECTRIC RATES ARE LOWER THAN WATER RATES IN VERNON WHEN COMPARED WITH CHARGES FOR THE SAME SERVICE IN OTHER TOWNS AND CITIES OF TEXAS.

Let's Have the Facts About Our Water System

This Company has offered to furnish the power for pumping water in Vernon at saving of 50 per cent over what it is costing the City to pump water with its own power.

Vernon ought to have the greatest and cheapest supply of water of any city of its size in Texas. Water should be so cheap in Vernon that we could make our city a veritable paradise of beautiful trees, flowers and gardens. This could be done if our water system were managed as efficiently and economically in proportion as similar plants in other Texas cities.

Let's Have Some Light On the Water Question in Vernon

Water Can Be Pumped in Vernon For 4 Cents Per Thousand Gallons

You know what water is costing per 1,000 gallons now. If the proposals which have been made by this Company to furnish power for pumping water had been investigated it would have been found that current could be purchased for pumping at about 4c per thousand gallons. All other expense to City connected with pumping water on this plan would be two men to look after operation of pumps and other small duties connected with the distribution of water after it has been pumped into the reservoir. One of the reasons for low rates in many cities is that electricity is purchased from private companies, this saving the big investment and high operating charges for maintaining separate power plants for pumping water. The City of Vernon has recently invested about \$40,000 in an electric power plant which is for pumping water, according to claims of City officials.

Figure the Difference Yourself

If Vernon can pump her water at a cost of 4c per thousand gallons by purchasing electricity and will keep other overhead expense on an efficient and economical basis, the City could have water at very much lower prices than other cities and COULD ELIMINATE AN INVESTMENT OF \$40,000 OR MORE IN POWER EQUIPMENT. FIGURE FOR YOURSELF THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN 4c FOR PUMPING WATER AND THE PRICES YOU ARE NOW PAYING. Why shouldn't Vernon have the lowest water rate of almost any city in Texas? The only thing that keeps water rates high in Vernon is inefficient and wasteful management of the water system.

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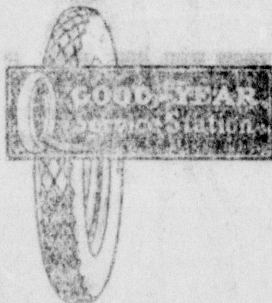
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GOOD YEAR

IN SOCIETY

The night dinner club met last night with Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Moore. Those present other than the regular members were: Mr. and Mrs. Chandler Caraway, Miss Johnnie Mallow, Dr. and Mrs. M. J. Moore.

Two courses were served, carnations were used for decorations and an evening of general after dinner merriment was indulged.

1921 Club Entertained

Mrs. H. B. Farrel, of South Main street, was hostess Tuesday afternoon to the 1921 bridge club. Four tables of club members played. Mrs. Joe Napier won high score.

A salad course was served to the guest at the close of the afternoon.

Miss Rhoads Entertains with 42

Miss Emma Rhoads was hostess yesterday afternoon to the Thursday Forty-two club and extra guests at her home on South Main street.

Four tables were played and angel food cake and ice cream were served to the following: Mesdames Emory Rhoads, Hub Colley, R. H. Nichols, W. W. Bennett, E. L. Pendleton, Walter McCaleb, Sumner Greene, of Fort Worth, S. S. Munger, Tom Summerour, Rupert Sewell, Hugh Comer, W. J. Snickler, E. M. Haney and Misses Regina Green, Louise Smith, Ethel Haney, Nita Denny, Harriett, Thomas.

Mrs. Reger Hostess

Mrs. Howard Reger was hostess on Wednesday afternoon to the members of the Wednesday Forty-two club and other invited guests at her home on West Wilbarger street. Miss Harriet Thomas and Miss Oleeta Youngblood presided over the punch bowl.

Guests present other than club members were: Mesdames C. D. Ashenurst, J. H. E. Young, O. A. Swinburn, M. N. Johnson, W. D. Berry, Geo. W. Beckins, A. B. Garland, A. H. Murchison, Clarke McKinney, of San Antonio, J. R. Meredith, of Denver, S. T. Cawood, of Memphis, Tenn., J. B. Ross, J. H. Pettit and B. D. Flanniken. A salad course and peach sponge were served at the close of the games.

Tuesday Bridge Party

Mrs. R. L. Castlebury and daughter, Miss Lillie Castlebury entertained with bridge and forty-two Tuesday at their home on West Wilbarger Street. The morning hours were devoted to bridge playing with Miss Castlebury hostess to the Avalon bridge club members and other invited guests. In the afternoon Mrs. Castlebury's guests played forty-two.

Guests other than club members for the bridge party were: Mesdames M. G. Neathery, J. A. Robinson, Robert Wilson, of Clarendon and J. Allen, of Paris, house guest of Mrs. J. A. Robinson.

Guests for the four tables of forty-two were: Mesdames E. M. Rogers, Geo. Robinson, S. R. Crim, S. E. Johnson, J. H. E. Young, O. E. Williams,

M. G. Neathery, L. G. Hawkins, O. A. McCaleb, E. A. Williams, Quincy Wilson, of Chillicothe, house guest of Mr. Williams, B. J. Parker and G. E. Blackman.

No prizes were given at either party. A cooling salad and ice course was served each at the close of the games.

SENATOR JOE BURKETT IS OUT FOR GOVERNOR



State Senator Joe Burkett, of Eastland has made the following announcement:

"This is to announce that I shall be a candidate for Governor, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in 1924. I had not intended to make known my candidacy before the first of next year, but because of conditions that have arisen in a political way in the past two or three weeks, I deem it advisable to let my intentions be known at this time. At the proper time I shall begin an active campaign and advocate, among other issues, the following:

1. A State reserve banking system with a central state bank for the promotion, primarily, of the farming and livestock interests of our state.
2. A state controlled system of fireproof terminal warehouses at our large railroad centers and seaports, to the end that our staple products may be successfully marketed.
3. A constitutional amendment providing for a reasonable bonus for ex-service men, if the federal government fails to provide such bonus.
4. A constitutional amendment abolishing useless offices and placing their work with other offices.
5. The abolition of ad valorem taxes for state purposes, leaving the ad valorem taxes for counties and cities, and letting the state government be maintained by franchise, corporation, income, poll, gross production, severance and other taxes, thus eliminating all contention with reference to unequal and inadequate tax renditions.
6. Water conservation and flood control.
7. Retention by the state of all water power sites.
8. A consistently liberal policy towards industrial enterprises, to the end that Texas may become a manu-

facturing state as well as a producer of raw material.

9. A connected system of state highways to be maintained by the state.

10. A more liberal policy toward our public schools, to the end that every child may receive at least a high school education.

11. A closer co-ordination of our institutions of higher learning with each other and with the public school system. Give our grown young men and women ample opportunity to carry their education to the highest pinnacle, but not at the expense of the children who cannot care for themselves.

12. A repeal of the free text book law, with provisions for supplying books to those who are not able to purchase.

13. An adequate and humane solution of the penitentiary problem.

14. Strict economy in all departments of the state government, consolidating bureaus and commissions wherever necessary, to the end that all may work together and not contrary.

15. A constitutional amendment exempting a reasonable value of the improvements on a homestead from taxation to the end that home ownership may be encouraged.

16. Liberal laws toward our basic industries—farming and stock raising.

17. Institution of civil service examination for all state employees, giving preference to ex-service men wherever possible.

18. A constitutional amendment fixing the legal interest rate at not exceeding 8 per cent instead of 10 per cent as at present.

19. An adequate revision of our judiciary system in order that cases may be tried speedily and litigants be not compelled to wait an indefinite length of time for an adjudication of their rights.

20. A revision of our primary and election laws to make them more work-

able. We must cut our government expenses and thereby reduce our taxes, or else submit to the Socialist doctrine that the State should own all property and administer the government from the use of taxes. I had rather have less government and more individual freedom than to submit to Socialism.

21. The faithful and efficient enforcement of all laws, especially those against mobs. Such violence will not be tolerated. Every person shall be secure in his person, property and effects from all searches except by due process of law. I do not believe in invisible government. There is room for but one government and that one open and free, participated in by all the people.

HOW PEOPLE ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR LEGISLATURE

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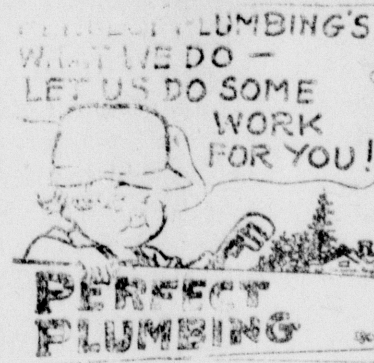
ber, well versed in parliamentary law, has considerable advantage. Now if a member, under present conditions only aspires to one term and has qualified himself for service during that one term under the law of averages, we don't get very far.

In this article, I have only attempted to point out in a general way the importance of selecting qualified men to the legislature. I think the recent prolonged regular and special sessions will, in the end, have an effect for the good upon the people, for they are beginning to get their eyes open. The people should be brought to realize the all important fact that no business or enterprise can be successfully maintained unless capable men are placed at the head of it. This argument applies to political matters as well as private matter. I will follow up this article with two other, one dealing in detail with important matters with

which the legislature has to deal, and the other showing the unfairness and nonuniformity of our system of taxation.

Child Dies Wednesday

Howard Eugene Huggins, the two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Huggins, died Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock after a few days illness. The funeral was held from the residence at 11 o'clock yesterday morning. Rev. Lewis P. Kopp officiated and interment was made in East View.



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THE END OF AN EXPERIMENT IN COMMUNISM.

The recent decision of the United States Supreme Court holding that the power vested in the Kansas Industrial Court unconstitutional should not have been surprising to any thoughtful person who brushed aside the undergrowth of prejudice and fine phrasings of a Socialistic type as to the supremacy of the public interest over private interest.

The Kansas Industrial Court act was hailed as the Ark of the Covenant which was to lead the people of the United States into a Canaan of industrial peace unharmed and untouched by the predatory interests on the one hand and the unscrupulous labor agitator on the other.

The first expressions of delight came from opponents of organized labor when they saw that the act prohibited strikes, and labor leaders who derided the law were ridiculed as enemies of industrial peace. Things moved along on this basis for a time until the Court decided that a mill did not have the right to reduce the wages of its employees, cut down the number of employees, or shut down its plant, and the applause shifted to the labor side.

Now when the law questions involved came under the jurisdiction of the United States Supreme Court, it has very properly held, The Record believes, that no such authority as that sought to be exercised by the Kansas court can be granted without violating other and more sacred rights. But the Supreme Court decision merely finished a task that had already been fairly well accomplished. The Industrial Court law had been largely discredited long before the decision was handed down.

It was first found that the law would not prevent strikes. Later it was discovered that it could not compel employers to keep their plants in operation or to continue the employment of a certain number of men, because such matters are governed by economic conditions which have a way moving along without much regard to what the statute books say. Then it was found in the case of William Allen White of Emporia that the law could not keep people from expressing their opinions about industrial disputes. Finally the people of Kansas elected a Governor pledge to repeal the law.

Thus the action of the Supreme Court was merely to put a bit of Socialistic legislation

out of its misery. Labor disputes are expensive and oftentimes unnecessary, but when we undertake to regulate by law the questions of wages, hours and conditions of employment down to their finest detail we embark upon a trail that has no stopping place this side of communism. If we deprive the worker of his right to quit his job we must deprive the employer of his right to determine how much he will pay, how many men he will employ or to close down his business when conditions make it unprofitable. When we do these things we must step in and guarantee the employer against financial loss. What this lacks of communism isn't worth arguing over.

OUR LEGISLATIVE RECESS.

The Legislature has adjourned and Texas ought to feel better. The present Legislature has been on the job for nearly six months, but there has been little constructive progress made for the benefit of the State as a whole. It should also be said in fairness to our lawmakers that they refrained from some threatened blunders and Governor Neff kept them from a few through the use of his veto

power.

Fortunately some foolish and pernicious bills were defeated. A mad rush was made as soon as the session began to introduce legislation to throttle business and industry in Texas. Most of this class of legislation was killed and we ought to be devoutly thankful that this is true.

But even if the sessions just closed were barren of any outstanding constructive legislation they were at least marked by a sober-mindedness in matters of levying new taxes beyond some of the previous Legislatures. After all is said, the Texas Legislature isn't so bad. We get better service than we have a right to expect, considering the wages we pay.

THE ROAD AMENDMENT.

The friends of good roads throughout Texas should rally to the support of the proposed constitutional amendment to be voted on in July which will transfer the control of State highways from the Commissioners Court to the State Highway Commission. It will be the greatest single step forward in the road movement that we have yet taken. It will mean that we will continue to share in the distribution of Federal road money.

It will mean that a great highway, like the Colorado-Gulf, can't be ruined by one or two counties which refuse to improve their roads.

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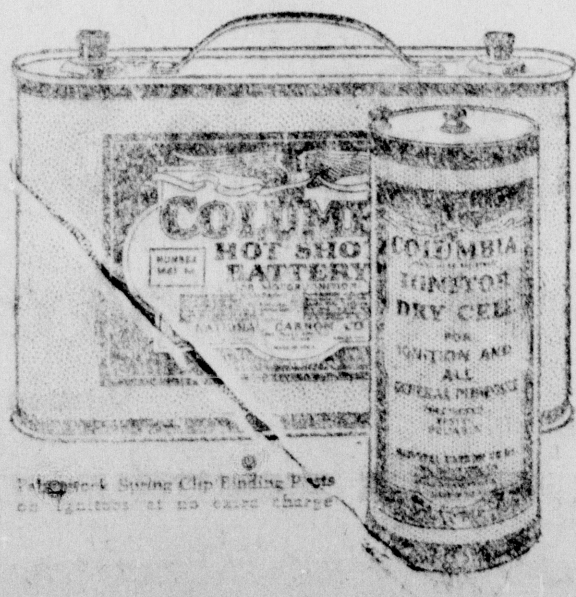
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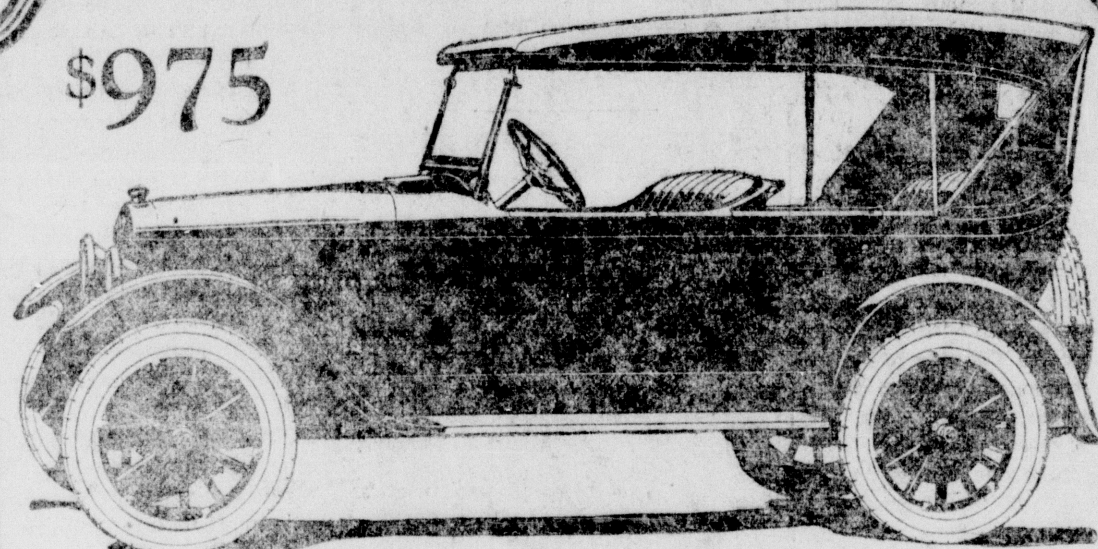
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The Ford Motor Company was twenty years old June 16. And this birthday anniversary finds it enjoying the greatest prosperity in its history and engaged in carrying out an expansion program of enormous magnitude, necessary to bring manufacture up to meet the ever increasing demand for Ford Products.

In the score of years which have passed since its incorporation on June 16, 1903, the growth of the company has been amazingly rapid and now its activities extend to nearly every country on the globe and the Ford Car is in use in practically every land on earth.

The capital originally subscribed in the company was \$100,000 of which only \$28,000 in cash was actually paid into the treasury. Among the twelve stockholders with the company in its infancy Henry Ford held 25 per cent of the stock.

Ford "sold" his car to the public at the very start by practically demonstrating for he piloted the first Ford racer himself and won race after race, in all parts of the country. Driving old "399" on an ice track at Baltimore Bay, Md., he was the first to break the mile-a-minute record.

In 1907 Mr. Ford acquired additional stock sufficient to bring his holdings in the company up to 58.32 per cent.

Development of the company since 1908 when the Model "T" Ford Car was first placed on the market has been marked by unusual success until now it occupies the foremost position in the industry.

In 1913, Mr. Ford set a new standard for the industrial world when he announced his new famous \$5 a day minimum wage and the \$10,000,000 profit-sharing plan, a move that gained him international fame.

Napier Brothers, local Ford dealers, are celebrating this week.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express to the merchants and citizens of Vernon our sincere thanks for their hearty co-operation in making our celebration a success. Your kind interest shall always be appreciated.

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Dewitt Waldon, Mgr.

Notice: Wheat Farmers.

See Bennett and Long before you sell your wheat. Office phone 527. Residence phones 200 and 258. 48 3c

Central Christian Church Ready for Revival on July 8

The Central Christian Church has set July 8 for the beginning of the mid-summer revival that will be conducted on the spacious lawn between the parsonage and the church building. A large audience will be prepared for the services. The church committee met part of the expense for material and labor in making the scene for the chautauqua with the agreement that the church is to have the use of these for the revival.

Singing evangelist Harrel C. Blard is to return with his wife, who is a personal worker, as assistant in this meeting. Services will likely continue for three weeks or more every day and night.

Zion's Lutheran Church

There will be English services at Zion's Lutheran church, beginning at 8 p. m. next Sunday, June 24.

Text, 2 Pet. 1, 16-21. Topic, The Holy Scriptures as Divine Revelation. First, their historical origin, second, their divine authority.

L. HEINEMEIER, Pastor.

Evangelical Lutheran Church

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Confessional address based on Matt. 23. Theme "Repentance." 10 a. m. Sermon based on 1 Cor. 11, 22. Subject, "The Church." 10:30 a. m. Bible Class 8:00 p. m.

You are cordially invited to worship with us.

J. A. BIRNBAUM, Pastor.

First Methodist Church

Robert E. Dickinson, D. D., Pastor. Sunday schedule. 9:30 a. m. Sunday school, Roy D. L. Killough, Superintendent.

11 a. m. morning worship. Baritone Solo—Mr. Carlos Smith.

"O Lord and Master." Goddard. Offertory, Violin Solo, Mrs. Roy McConihe, accompanied by Miss Ruth Carney.

Sermon by Dr. Dickinson. Subject, "Gripped for Service."

Intermediate League 7 p. m. Senior League 7 p. m.

No other evening service. Notes. Reports of the Abilene conferences will be given at the League services next Sunday night at seven o'clock. The following persons will speak. Roy McRorey, Allen Carney.

FARMERS!

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Joe B. Milner and Anita Frances Dickenson. The service will last one hour.

The Women's Missionary society will meet next Monday at 5 p. m. It will be the Bible Study hour and service will be led by the pastor.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for their kindness during the illness and death of our darling baby boy.

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W. B. Covert, of White City was here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Culbertson have returned from a visit to Hamlin.

L. E. Key, of Wichita Falls, was here on business Wednesday.

J. T. Cabe, of Electra, was here on business Wednesday.

Frank Massie Jr. is recovering rapidly from an appendicitis operation.

Fresh supply of carbon at Ferguson Drug Company. 48 1c

B. L. Knowles of Wichita Falls, was in the city yesterday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Kelley, of Cleburne, arrived in Vernon today to visit relatives.

Mrs. Sunrow Greene, of Fort Worth has arrived for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Greene and other relatives.

Mrs. W. T. Rouse and children have arrived for a visit with her son, T. L. Rouse.

Mrs. S. E. Major, of Memphis, is here for a visit with Mrs. Chas. W. Andrus.

Milford Rouse has assumed his duties as reporter on the Vernon Times.

Miss Pearl Eakle left today for Dallas where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Gaines B. Tanner.

Dr. H. H. Rhoads, Miss Emma Rhoads and David Nowlin went to Chillicothe on business today.

A. C. Smithson and family, of Red Oak, are visiting at the homes of Chas. Withers and Tom Conger.

S. H. Hall, city secretary, has returned from Dallas, where he spent several days on vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Dooley of Odell visited their daughter, Mrs. W. T. Vaughn, Wednesday.

Notice: Wheat Farmers.

See Bennett and Long before you sell your wheat. Office phone 527. Residence phones 200 and 258. 48 3c

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Meredith, of Denver, have arrived for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Murchison. Mrs. Murchison is a sister of Mr. Meredith. They will spend the summer here.

T. J. Youngblood, B. Daniels, Jim Bomer and W. A. Ish have returned from a fishing trip on the Concho. They started for Devils River but found the roads so rough that they decided to stop on the Concho, having only a limited time to spend on the trip.

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Miss Opal Evans submitted to an operation for appendicitis a week ago Wednesday. She is reported to be recovering rapidly and will soon be able to return to her home.

Mrs. H. L. McElroy of Fort Worth, is in Vernon having come to be at the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. J. Oscar Fowler, who underwent an operation at a local hospital this morning.

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R. L. Blanton Dead.
Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Blanton and family returned yesterday from Sherman where they went to attend the burial of R. L. Blanton, brother of J. S. Blanton, who died Saturday at his home in Canadian. Mrs. Emma Teel of Vernon, a sister of the dead man, went from here to Sherman for the funeral also and will visit with relatives there. Clarence Teel, a nephew went Canadian where services were also held and returned Wednesday.

Mr. Blanton has visited relatives here several times and was well known in Vernon.

L. C. Page, architect of Austin, is in Vernon to confer with the school board relatives to drawing plans for the proposed new High School building. Mr. Page furnished the plans for the Electra and Burkburnett school buildings.

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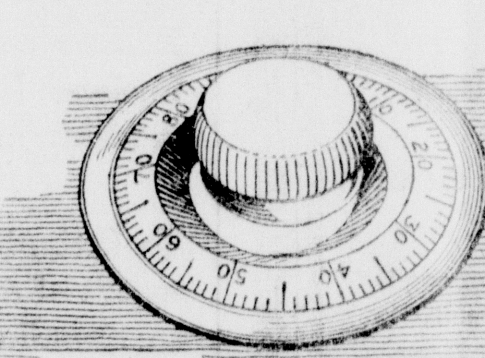
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ITEMS OF INTEREST IN WILBARGER

HAULK HILL

By special correspondence.

Farmers of this community are busy replanting their crops.

Miss Lilly Reeves spent the week-end with Miss Trixy Coffer at White City.

Miss Clara Boyd visited Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Floyd the past week.

Misses Florence and Eula Reeves and General Pretty attended the club girls encampment the past week.

Mrs. R. A. January and children visited Mrs. Jan Leverett of White City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Barrett and son Elmer visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. Len Leverett, Sunday.

Walter Starr visited his sister, Mrs. Dan Boon, Sunday.

Misses Letty Boyd and Pearl Floyd visited Essie Floyd Saturday night.

The young people of this community enjoyed a dance at the home of Dal Watson Saturday night.

Those attending the singing at White City Sunday from this community were: Misses Myrtle and Bessie Thomas, Hazel Boone, Ruby January, Letty and Clara Boyd, Pearl Floyd, Messrs. Bob January, Earl Boone, Elmer Barrett, Bill Cook, Dewey Hite and Mr. and Mrs. Johnson and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hobson of White City were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Sunday.

Carroll Reeves was a visitor in White City Monday.

ELRENO

By special correspondence.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Wall and Mr. and Mrs. J. Bristo of Guyer, made a business call to Iowa Park last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Atkins were in Vernon on business Wednesday.

Misses Maurine Hanks, Lela Nettles, Bertha Lutz, Messrs. W. Walbrick, Ed and Cecil Hanks of this community attended the cream supper at Miss Thelma Bristoe's of Guyer, which was given as a birthday party.

Edd Baker of Williamson, came Sunday to spend a while with his uncle, C. Shumann and other relatives of this community.

G. Patrus and family visited in the home of A. Mier, Sunday.

Mr. Riddle and family of Oklamou spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. Dobin and family.

M. P. Leudtkie and family made a business trip to Wichita Falls last week.

Geo. Lutz, M. P. Leudtkie and W. Walbricke were in Vernon Tuesday.

The farmers are preparing their threshers to thresh wheat and oats this week, but there will be very little grain to thresh in this community.

S. Guber of Oklahoma is visiting in the home of R. B. Wilkenson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Patton of Elliott and

Miss Mary Danges of Elliott visited her cousin, Elsie Lutz Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. A. Wilkenson of Elliott spent awhile with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Wilkenson, Sunday.

FARMERS VALLEY

By special correspondence.

The sandstorm Sunday did not damage the crops of this community very severely.

Singing Sunday was well attended, several people from other communities were present and assisted with the singing.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Hoffman, Jr. and son, Roy, were visitors in this community Sunday.

Miss Lillian Cox is suffering from tonsillitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Short visited friends and relatives of this community Sunday.

Mrs. George McCauley is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Marion Nix.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Frost and daughter, Emma, and son, John, have returned from Lubbock, where they have been visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. R. W. Arnold. They also visited friends while there.

Miss Irlby Mae Rape spent Saturday night with Miss Alice Randel.

Olan Frost is recovering from an attack of poison oak.

Dih Randel's barn burned Monday shortly after noon. The way it was caught can't be determined because the family was absent.

Misses Emma and Nadine Allen, and Irlby Mae Rape spent Sunday with Miss Alice Randel.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Frost and daughters, Lois and Faye, were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Allen, Sunday.

W. B. Simpkins and son, Miller, were business visitors in Quanah Tuesday.

Olan and Hiram Frost began harvesting Monday. The yield will be better than expected.

Mrs. Ray Blanchard is ill.

Vernon visitors from this community Saturday were: Dewey Brock, Shorty McAdams, Olan and Hiram Frost.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Rea ate dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Nix Sunday.

Misses Lillian and Edric Cox entertained Sunday night with a singing.

RAYLAND NEWS

By special correspondent.

Miss Estelle Lawson of Dallas, visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rutledge last week.

Messrs. S. H. and Tom Allen returned Thursday from Merkle where they took Paris Allen for treatment.

Messdames S. H. and Paris Allen left Saturday for Merkle.

Miss Lois Rutledge, of Vernon visited

ited Mrs. Robert Rutledge the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Will Green and family spent Friday with Mrs. R. L. Jordan.

The fruit supper at Mrs. F. T. Mears Saturday night was well attended. Every one reported a nice time.

Visitors in Vernon from here Saturday were: Lena and Blanch Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Paris, Fred and Geo. Duffie, Bill Jordan, Wayne Price, Jess Speaks, George and Lather Cellis, Bill Oakes and Austin Benzley.

Tom Lawson of Crowell, visited in this community Sunday.

Those from here who attended the singing at West Rayland Sunday were: Bud and Care Mears, Lenetta and Irene Jordan, Fred Duffie, Clyde Fox, Walter and Jack Lawson, Leslie Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Martin, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Davis and family.

Misses Lera and Blanche Parker, Ruby Weaver and Emma Schroeder, and Messrs. Paul Parker and Alvin Schroeder of West Rayland attended Sunday school at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Martin were in Vernon Friday.

Little Calita Faye Oakes has been seriously ill the past week but is reported some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Jordan and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gunn and daughter, Marie, Veva Lee Roberts, Mille Dale, Bill Jordan and Fred Duffie visited in the Mears home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hopkins visited in Vernon the latter part of last week with Mr. Hopkins' father.

The winds and sand of last week did great damage to the cotton around here. Almost everyone has planted over this week.

Edd Gunn was a business visitor in Vernon Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Oakes visited Mr.

and Mrs. Astin Benzley Saturday and Sunday.

We had quite a shower here Tuesday.

Ashberry Hughes of Vernon, visited his daughter, Mrs. Will Green, the first of the week.

Quite a number of men from this community went to Oklahoma, fishing Tuesday. Among those who went were: Tom Davis and Fred Caldwell. There were several others from other communities.

Miss Nina Rutledge of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. Roberts and her father, Charley Rutledge Tuesday.

WILDCAT NEWS

By special correspondence.

W. D. Nunn went to Vernon on business last Tuesday.

Miss Willie Colbert, of Electra is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Patton and family.

Mrs. L. G. Luttrell and Buford went to West Vernon Wednesday.

Edd Scott of Lubbock, visited his brother Elbert last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Patton and children of Dallas are here visiting her mother, Mrs. G. W. Hildebrand and family.

Miss Blyn Nunn attended the girls' encampment last Friday and took very sick and brought home Saturday morning.

Miss Eunice Jeffcoats and Mrs. Allie May Clements have gone to Bell county on a two or three week's visit.

Miss Helen Richie attended the girls' encampment at Vernon Friday and Saturday and reports a fine time.

Miss Annie Nunn is sick at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith of Electra visited their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Burk, Sunday.

Lem Luttrell, of Vernon, was out

and worked a few days for his brother I. G. Luttrell last week.

Chester Robinson, of Vernon, visited Buford Luttrell Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hildebrand, of

Fargo visited his mother, Mrs. G. W. Hildebrand and family Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Edmonson of Vernon, will preach here Sunday at 11 o'clock.

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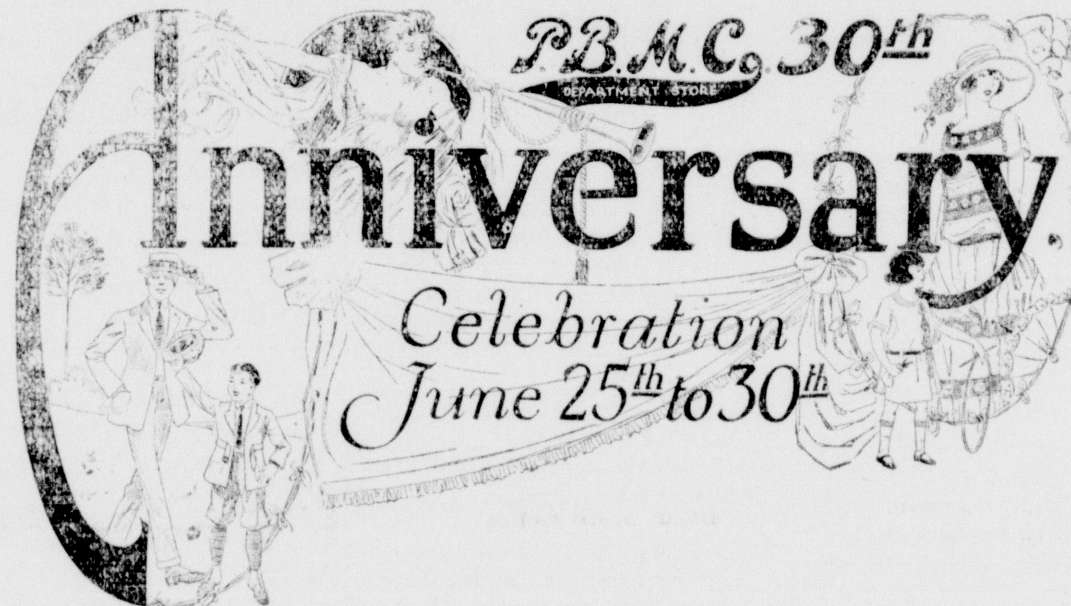
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This celebration will begin Monday, June 25 and extend to Saturday, June 30. High grade apparel for women, men, girls and boys, piece goods, accessories, notions, trunks, shoes, linens, etc., are included. In fact the entire stock of this large establishment on sale at worthy savings during the progress of this great celebration. Make your plans now to be here.

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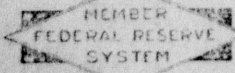
Safety First is a slogan that does not apply only to dodging trains and automobiles.

There is a safe margin in business to be considered. It is safer to save than to spend. If you save it is safer to select a strong and reliable bank to do business with.

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LOCKETT ITEMS

By special correspondence.

Mrs. W. H. Foster spent last week visiting her daughter at Margaret. T. E. Davis went last week to be at the bedside of his father at Putnam, who is not expected to live.

Mrs. T. J. Lockett and Mrs. Chas. Cato visited their daughter and sister, in Vernon last Tuesday afternoon. Rev. Edgar Pippin, of Chillicothe, will fill the pulpit at Lockett next Sunday morning and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Cato and family of Thalia, visited Mr. and Mrs. Charley Cato, last Sunday afternoon. Miss Tommie Lee Autrey, of Floydada, spent the week end with Miss Wilma Lockett.

Willis Cato, of Fargo, is spending the week with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Higgins visited relatives at Fargo last Sunday.

H. L. and J. B. Leverett, of Fargo, spent Wednesday in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno B. Lockett, visited Mrs. Lockett's uncle G. H. Davisport and family, in Vernon Tuesday night.

Mrs. Walter Hoffman attended the girls' encampment in Vernon Friday and Saturday.

ROBERT BRUMBALOW MADE BURKBURNETT CITY MANAGER

Robert Brumbalow, of Waco, has been made City Manager of Burkburnett. He is a brother of Will Brumbalow, who is principal of the Burkburnett High School and is well known in Vernon.

The office of City Manager was recently created in Burkburnett and the salary is \$300 per month. Mr. Brumbalow was city manager at Childress and County Attorney of Childress County before going to Waco where he has been practicing law.

WILL MAKE IMPROVEMENTS AT NEW CITY LAKE RESORT

The new City Lake having proven a popular swimming resort, Mayor Harry Mason, is planning to make such improvements as he can with the limited amount of money at his disposal for such purposes. In addition to the spring board already erected in shallow water for the youngsters another one is to be erected in deeper water for those who can swim. If possible to do so, the Mayor will also provide dressing rooms at the lake, he said.

CHILICOTHE MAN HAS FIVE TOES CUT OFF

Chillicothe, June 22.—Coley Thurman, 27, local blacksmith, is recovering from injuries received Tuesday night when a freight train on the Fort Worth and Denver road ran over his left foot cutting off all the toes. The accident happened at the station when Mr. Thurman was returning from Quanah.

Visitors Return Home

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carrington, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Quintan Crawford, of Crowell, returned Monday from a two week's visit to relatives at Crystal City. The trip was made by automobile and hunting and fishing were enjoyed all along the way. Mr. Carrington crossed the border while away and saw some of old Mexico.

While in Crystal City they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Peel, former residents of Vernon. Mrs. Peel and Mrs. Carrington are sisters. Mr. Peel who lived here years ago is justice of the Peace there.



The kiddies think our bread is dandy and that our pastry tastes like candy. And papa and mama and all the guests agree that our baking products are of the highest quality. Remember the name of our bread and say sort of firm-like to the groceryman—

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"Remember, that's the bread for me."

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PRIDDY RAISES GOOD PEACHES AT WHITE CITY

T. B. Priddy, who resides near White City, was in Vernon yesterday with a load of fine peaches which he sold at good prices. Some of them were as large as baseballs or even larger and deliciously flavored. Mr. Priddy says he has a good peach crop on his four acre orchard this year.

Mrs. Walde Returns Home

Mrs. R. L. Walde, of Burkburnett, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Baird in this city returned home yesterday accompanied by her sister and brother, Miss Elizabeth and Hubert Baird. Mr. Walde, who is superintendent of the Nortex refinery at Burkburnett has been in Eldorado, Kans. on business and came by Vernon to accompany Mrs. Walde home.

Good Crops At Harrold

J. N. Luttrell of Harrold, was in Vernon yesterday on a short business trip. He said row crops around Harrold are in good condition but that the small grain crops are short. With good weather from now on he thinks Harrold will make a big cotton crop.

Mrs. Morris Goes To Lubbock

Mrs. Pauline Morris, who has been the guest of her sisters, Miss Ada Pierce, of Vernon and Miss Catherine Pierce, of Dallas, returned to her home at Lubbock this afternoon. Miss Catherine Pierce, who is attending Southern Methodist University will return home for a visit with relatives in July.

TIME TABLE

Fort Worth and Denver

North Bound

No. 7 arrives	5:29 a. m.
No. 3 arrives	2:10 p. m.
No. 1 arrives	3:05 p. m.

South Bound

No. 4 arrives	11:10 a. m.
No. 2 arrives	1:03 p. m.
No. 8 arrives	12:55 p. m.

Frisco

Leaves for Oklahoma	6:50 a. m.
Arrives from Oklahoma	6:45 p. m.

Orient at Chillicothe

To Sweetwater and other points.	
Leaves Chillicothe	10:45 a. m.
To Oklahoma Points	
Leaves Chillicothe	3:05 p. m.

IN RE: GUARDIANSHIP OF THE SMITH, A MINOR, IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WILBARGER COUNTY, TEXAS.

Notice is hereby given that I, Ed T. Smith, guardian of the estate of the Smith, a minor, have this 22nd day of June 1923, filed my application in the above entitled and numbered cause for an order of the County Judge of Wilbarger County, Texas, authorizing me as guardian of the estate of said ward to make a mineral lease upon such terms as the court may

order and direct of the following described real estate belonging to the estate of said ward, to-wit:

An undivided one-sixteenth interest in fractional section number twenty-seven (No. 27) block fourteen (14) H. & T. C. Ry. Co's. surveys in Wilbarger County, Texas;

An undivided one-sixteenth interest in fractional section number twenty-eight (No. 28) in block fourteen (14) H. & T. C. Ry. Co's. surveys in Wilbarger County, Texas;

Said application will be heard by the County Judge at the Court House in the City of Vernon, Texas, on the 30th day of June, A. D. 1923.

ED T. SMITH,
Guardian of the estate of the Smith, a minor.

THE STATE OF TEXAS To the Sheriff or any Constable of Wilbarger County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon J. E. Walker, L. P. Loran, J. F. Edwards and Carry Edwards by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof in some newspaper published in your county to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Wilbarger County, to be held at the court house thereof in Vernon, Texas, on the 20th day of August, 1923, being the 20th day of said month, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 20th day of June, 1923, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 3315, wherein O. W. Elliott is plaintiff and J. E. Walker, L. P. Loran, J. F. Edwards and Carry Edwards are defendants. Said petition alleging that on the 1st of June, 1923, the plaintiff was the owner of lot 413 (a) in block four (4), Seaclock & Loran Addition to the town of Vernon, in Wilbarger County, Texas, and owned the same for more than five years and he and those whose estate he has, claiming to have good and perfect right and title to said premises, has held the same peaceably and lawfully adverse possession thereof for more than ten years next preceding the 1st of June, 1923, claiming said land under the statute of limitation and praying for conveyance of said land and all title be divested out of defendants and vested in plaintiff, for cost of suit and general relief.

Plaintiff further alleges that he and those whose estate he has, claiming said property under deed duly registered has had peaceable and adverse possession, cultivating and paying taxes upon the same for more than five years and he and those whose estate he has, claiming to have good and perfect right and title to said premises, has held the same peaceably and lawfully adverse possession thereof for more than ten years next preceding the 1st of June, 1923, claiming said land under the statute of limitation and praying for conveyance of said land and all title be divested out of defendants and vested in plaintiff, for cost of suit and general relief.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court on the said first day of August, next showing how you have executed the same. Witness Mrs. J. A. Walker, Clerk of the District Court of Wilbarger County, Texas, given under my hand and seal of said court, at office, in the City of Vernon, this 20th day of June, 1923.

(SEAL) J. A. WALKER,
Clerk District Court, Wilbarger County, Texas.

NOTICE—SHERIFF'S SALE (Personal Property)

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Wilbarger.

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable County Court of Hunt County, on 1st day of June A. D. 1923, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of Collins Decker Co., a corporation, vs. T. A. Hamilton No. 441, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell for cash, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's sales, on the 22nd day of June A. D. 1923, at 10:00 o'clock after the posting of this notice, before the Court House door of said Wilbarger County, in the City of Vernon, the following described property, to-wit:

One Solo Concerto, Player Piano No. 29419, (Whereof the 10th day of November, A. D. 1922, Collins Decker Company, a corporation, recovered in the County Court of Hunt County, a judgment against T. A. Hamilton, for the sum of Five Hundred Six and 23/100 Dollars, together with interest thereon from the 15th day of November, 1922, at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, and costs of suit, and whereas, said judgment is a foreclosure of a mortgage lien as it existed on the 26th day of October 1921, on the following described piano: One Solo Concerto, Player Piano No. 29419, owned by the property of T. A. Hamilton to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$500.00 in favor of Collins Decker Co., a corporation and costs of suit. GIVEN UNDER MY HAND, this 11th day of June A. D. 1923.

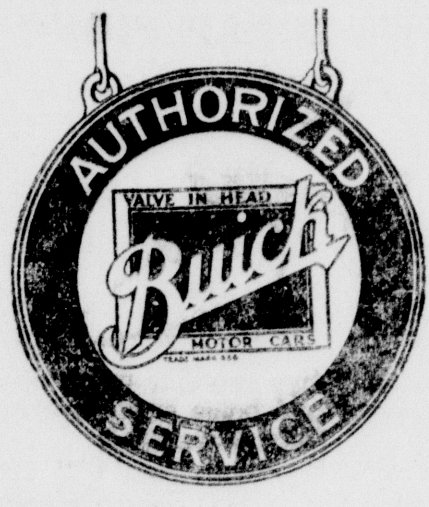
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FOR TRADE—1900 acres good sandy land 22 miles west of Lubbock, Texas, at \$15.00 per acre to trade for farm or clear income property. Some income, will trade all or part. J. S. Bonum, Margaret, Texas. 45-4c

MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Chickens of all sizes. Twelve cock and Red hens. John Napier. Phone 361. 44-1p

FOR SALE—Will sell north half of this county (Rawleigh Territory) on terms to suit purchaser. Will worth your attention. Address P. O. Box 44, Tolbert, Texas. 48-31p

FOR SALE—5 passenger Hummobile. Good mechanical condition, worth the money. See me R. B. Sherrill. 44-1c

FOR SALE—Silver lace White Wyandotte chickens. A bargain if taken at once. Phone 416 W. 45-3p

FOR SALE—Extra fine single comb White Leghorn yearling hens and pullets at \$1.90 each. Mrs. S. J. Clement, Oklahoma, Tex. 45-10c

FOR SALE—Holstein and Jersey bull calves. Giving five gallons per day. See Mr. Holman at Claude Oliver's. 47-2c

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One 12-25 h. p. Avery tractor in good condition. Also a gang disc plow. Call General Auto Supply Co., Phone 143. 46-31c

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THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF WILBARGER.

Whereas, by virtue of authority vested in me as Sheriff, and appointed in a certain deed of trust recorded in volume 19 at page 582 of the deed of trust records of Wilbarger County, Texas, executed on the 29th day of January, 1921, by J. E. Greenhouse for better securing the payment of one certain promissory note of \$100.00 due and said deed of trust executed by said J. E. Greenhouse payable to the order of Birde H. Parker, at Vernon, Texas, due two years after date, bearing ten per cent interest from date, the said debt payable annually, and providing for ten per cent attorney's fees if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, and

Whereas the said Birde H. Parker is the owner of said note and said J. E. Greenhouse has made default in the payment thereof and said note is now past due and the interest and attorney's fees have accrued, and

Whereas I have been requested by the said Birde H. Parker, the holder of said note, to enforce said deed of trust;

Now, therefore, I will offer for sale between the legal hours thereof to-wit, between the hours of ten o'clock A. M. and four o'clock P. M. at public auction to the highest bidder on the first Tuesday, in July, A. D. 1923, the same being the third day of said month at the court house door in the town of Vernon, Wilbarger County, Texas, the following described property, to-wit:

The North 155 acres of the Northwest quarter of section number fifty-seven (No. 57) in block number fifteen (15) of the H. & T. C. Ry. Co's. surveys in Wilbarger County, Texas,

with all the rights, members and appurtenances thereon, any and all things to-wit, Witness my hand this 25th day of May, 1923.

L. E. PETER, Trustee.

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ITEMS OF INTEREST IN WILBARGER

BROWN NEWS

By special correspondence.

The farmers are very busy now chopping their cotton.

This community was visited by a rain Tuesday morning.

Rev. M. Edmonson, of Vernon, filled the pulpit Sunday morning and Rev. F. T. Johnson also, of Vernon, preached Sunday afternoon. A large crowd attended the services.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Tilley and family visited Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Raper. Misses Helen and Dorothea Franke and brother, Adolph, attended church in Vernon Sunday morning.

W. C. Winslett has been very ill for the past few days.

The young people from this community that attended the party given by Mr. and Mrs. Wilbanks at Union were: Misses Ina and Roxy Hammons, Mattie Likely, Messrs. Elbert Davidson, Roy Strange and Floyd Likely.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Likely, of Electra, spent Saturday night and Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Likely.

R. L. Strange, of Rio Vista, has been visiting relatives and friends in this community for the past few days.

Mrs. J. H. Hammons, who has had the typhoid fever for some time, is much improved at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Jarvis and family visited relatives at Rayland Sunday.

Rev. F. T. Johnson and wife of Vernon visited Mrs. Howard Hammons Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hoffman were business visitors at Lockett Monday afternoon.

E. F. Likely, of Electra, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Likely.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Woods, of Rayland, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bowers, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. H. G. Hammons, of Iowa Park and Mrs. E. L. Vaughn, of Vernon, spent last Thursday afternoon in the W. A. Hammons home.

Misses Ruth Cain, Ina and Roxie Hammons and Messrs. Whitley, Orvel Wheeler, George and Bill Cain attended singing at Union Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Edmonson and wife, of Vernon, visited Mr. and Mrs. S. M. James Sunday.

Misses Bessie and Lucille Milner were visitors in Vernon one day last week.

Mrs. Walter Hoffman attended the club girls encampment at Allingham park Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. S. A. Dill visited Mrs. O. S. Raper Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Billings, of Vernon, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Franke, Tuesday night.

George Cain is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Cain.

Miss Gertrude Houston, E. A. Woods and Lee Brock, all of Union, attended prayer meeting at Brown Sunday night.

Mrs. H. L. Westerman, of Oklahoma

was a visitor in this community Wednesday.

Rev. W. A. Davidson, of Fargo, will fill his regular appointment Saturday night and Sunday morning.

FARGO NEWS

By special correspondence.

Rev. Mr. McKenzie filled his regular appointment at the Christian church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Shaw and Mrs. Fred Shearer and two sons, of Plainview are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Marr.

Miss Lucy Stafford, who underwent an operation in Vernon two weeks ago has returned home.

Misses Leonora and Roberta Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hendrix, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McDaniel and Otis Shaw visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Emmett.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Baptist church held a market at the City Meat Market Saturday and collected \$14.10.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McDaniel and M. L. McDaniel are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McDaniel. After visiting here a while they will go on to Plainview to make their home.

Rev. F. D. Pearson filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church Sunday.

Vernon visitors from Fargo Saturday were: Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McDaniel, Mrs. Williamson, R. B. Richardson.

The infant baby of Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Sweetmon was buried in Fargo cemetery Friday afternoon.

The two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Jones died Monday afternoon, burial was in Fargo cemetery.

Miss Lillian Sweetmon, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at a sanitarium in Dallas returned home last week.

Mrs. Charlie Mason had an attack of appendicitis last week.

Dr. A. C. Rogers, of Odell was in Fargo Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Marr motored to Paducah Sunday returning home Sunday afternoon.

The community club put on a play at the school auditorium last Friday night.

The Women's Missionary Society met at the Baptist church Thursday night. Circle No. 1 having charge of the program.

The windows in the Fargo School building were nearly all broken by hail some time ago. New windows are being put in this week.

THALIA NEWS

By special correspondence.

Rev. Mr. McNair and family returned home from Abilene Thursday, where they have been visiting relatives the past two weeks. Mr. McNair filled the pulpit at the Baptist church Sunday and Sunday night.

Truett Neill came home Wednesday from Austin where he had been with

the National Guard. Wade Oate went to McKinney to visit a while with relatives before returning.

Mrs. Smith of Margaret, and Mrs. Richard McCoy, of Chillicothe, visited Mrs. McCoy's cousin, Mrs. G. A. Neill, Wednesday afternoon.

Homer Doty went to Vernon one day last week and purchased a Ford roadster.

Mrs. M. C. Adkins and Mrs. Earl McKinley went to Crowell Friday.

Frank Long and family, of Crowell, visited his brother, Walter Long and family, here Sunday.

Earl McKinley and wife, and Mrs. E. Grimsley and Joe French and family were Vernon visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Nora Lawrence and children, of Lorenna, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Crow here this week.

Garland Burns made a business trip to Vernon Saturday.

Misses Annie Mae Neill, Fay Randolph, Otto and Velma Phillips visited Miss Annie Wood Sunday.

Mrs. Hugh Thompson was taken to Vernon Monday where she underwent an operation Tuesday for appendicitis. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. John Bennett, of Erie, Okla., who will stay with her through her illness.

Dr. Clark of Crowell, was called to see little Benone McNair Tuesday.

Grover Nichols and wife took their daughter, Lois, to Vernon Monday, where she underwent an operation for the removal of her tonsils.

Mrs. M. A. Crowell and little granddaughter of Crowell, spent a few days

last week with her daughter, Mrs. G. B. Burns and family here.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harlie Capps June 18, a 10 pound boy.

John Thompson, Jr., and wife and Leona Thompson went to Vernon on Tuesday to visit Mrs. H. Thompson who is in a sanitarium there.

Mrs. T. M. Haney and daughter, Miss Leta came home Monday from Vernon where Miss Leta has been taking treatment the past two weeks.

James Long and Archie Williams, of Crowell, passed through Thalia Thursday en route to Vernon.

H. R. Randolph and family visited Gordon Davis and family in the Ayerville community Sunday.

T. A. Johnson and wife and daughter, Miss Myrtle, returned Saturday from Tohoka and other points on the plains where they visited relatives the past week.

Carroll Lindsey is the owner of a new Ford car.

S. T. Bowman and family and Brown Franklin, of Margaret, visited Mrs. Bowman's mother, Mrs. W. T. Brown, Sunday.

Tom Johnson returned home from Denton Friday where he has been on business.

Garland and Bennie Thompson visited their mother, Mrs. Hugh Thompson Tuesday at a sanitarium in Vernon.

W. T. Aubrey and Fred Rennels of Crowell were business visitors here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Garner, who

have been visiting Mrs. Garner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Collier, the last few weeks, returned home at Turkey Friday.

RED RIVER NEWS

By special correspondence.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Stephens are the proud parents of a fine baby girl, born Saturday June 16.

Maize looks fresh and pretty since rain this week.

The alfalfa is growing by leaps and bounds and will soon be ready to cut again.

A good many of the locust trees are dying because of so much rain.

Charlie S. Killough was a visitor at Emmett Yarbrough's Monday.

Miss Tommie F. Killough visited Miss Helen Yarbrough Monday.

Mr. Hays visited H. N. McDougal and Lee Crowover Thursday.

Miss Helen Yarbrough visited Miss Tommie F. Killough Monday.

Miss Edna McCollum was a guest

of Miss Opal McDougal Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. McCollum and children, Edna, Clyde, Troy and Roy were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Cass Shaw and children Sunday.

Miss Clarice and Krickett Hamilton spent the past week at the home of Wesley Sears, in Crowell.

Misses Myrtle and Ollie Patterson, visited Mrs. Emmett Harris and children Monday.

Mr. Cass Shaw's children Margaret,

The whooping cough is raging in this community.

Pauline and Athlene are ill at this writing.

Miss Margaret Harris visited Mr. and Mrs. Lott Patterson and family Monday.

Mrs. Spurgeon McDougal and baby, Letta Vern, visited Mrs. Nora Cook Sunday.

Spurgeon McDougal and Louise and Spurgeon, Jr., visited H. N. McDougal Sunday.

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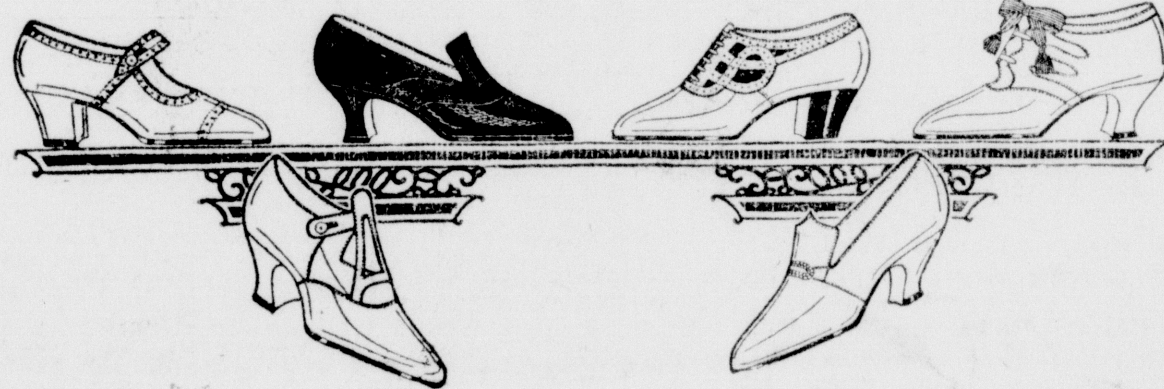
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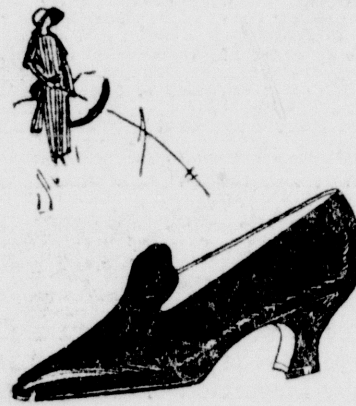


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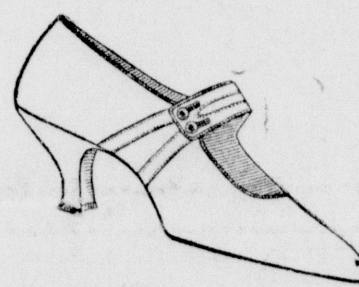
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